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MR. SHIGEMITSU IMPROVING

QUESTION OF LEG AMPUTATION

(Special to "Telegraph").

Shanghai, May 2.

One of the most famous surgeons in Japan, Dr. Goto is expected to arrive in Shanghai to-day by warship, to give an opinion as to whether Mr. Shigemitsu's leg must be amputated.

The Japanese Minister has improved, but his condition is still regarded as serious.—*Reuter*.

SHANGHAI OPTIMISM.

Shanghai, May 2.

Further evidence of the optimism prevailing in official quarters, comes from reliable sources that Sir Miles Lampson, who has taken a leading part in keeping the Sino-Japanese negotiations afloat, has arranged to leave for Peking on Thursday.

It is stated that the truce agreement will be signed, in all probability, on Wednesday. The full conference has not yet been convened, but the sub-committee is meeting this afternoon.—*Reuter*.

THE ANARCHY IN ASIA

VIEWS OF LONDON MORNING POST.

London, May 2.

In expressing sympathy with Japan in the outrage at Hongkew Park, the *Morning Post* refers to the murder of Mr. Douglas, the magistrate of Midnapore, as "a sad reminder that the servants of Japan and Great Britain have to face the same danger from the same enemy, namely, anarchy in Asia, which vents a deadly hatred against all forms of ordered government."

CHAO'S IN CHINA.

The revolutionary chaos in China has forced Japan, as before now it has forced Great Britain, to take strong measures for the defence of her subjects and their interests.

Japan, the journal further comments, showing admirable restraint following the outrage, is proceeding with her attempts to secure a truce and the withdrawal of her troops from Shanghai and might have been spared the entirely superfluous resolution from Geneva.—*Reuter*.

STOP PRESS.

Paris, May 2.

At 3.25 a.m., the Government parties had gained ten seats and lost thirteen.

The state of the parties was:
Extreme Right 2
Right 4
Left Republicans 25
Centre 20
Radicals 55
Rep. Socialists 12
Socialists 30
Communists 0
Second ballots will be required for 288 seats.—*Reuter*.

POLICE CHARGE HYDE PARK CROWD

DEMONSTRATORS IDSPERSED

MARCHING ON JAPANESE EMBASSY

UPROAR IN MADRID

London, May 1.

Baton charges by the London police were necessary this evening in order to disperse a May Day crowd which was bent on creating an anti-Japanese disturbance.

Instigated by Communists, who have caused anti-Japanese demonstrations in many cities in the world recently, the crowd, on leaving Hyde Park, insisted on crossing Portman Square, where the Japanese Chancery is situated.



A typical Hyde Park scene. The policeman stand aloof, seldom acting against the speakers, deeming free speech an essential safety valve. Sometimes, as yesterday, however, the orators exceed the limit of tolerance.



Mrs. Katherine Crossy, who was invested with the M.B.E. this morning.

SHANGHAI CHAMPIONS

CASTLE RIBBON FAVOURED

(Our Own Correspondent).

Shanghai, May 2.

The greatest interest is being manifested in the Champions race, which will be run on Wednesday. It is expected that the total tickets sold will be fully 60,000, at \$10 each.

Possible starters in the race are Alligator, Boot Black, School Boy, Mr. Gliders, The Dour Bird, Castle Ribbon, Subribbon, Fire Flash and Bonnie Lad.
Should Busy Bee qualify this afternoon, he may prove a serious contender, although at the moment Castle Ribbon is favoured to win. Switzerland has not yet qualified. Hurry On is the only qualified pony of the Dallas stable.

HIGHWAY ROBBERY SEQUEL

FIREMAN ARRESTED AS SUSPECT

Foo Sang, 23, a fireman attached to the Mongkok sub-station, has been arrested as a suspect following investigations into a highway robbery which occurred in Argyle Street, yesterday, and in which Foo Sang with another man not yet arrested is alleged to have been implicated.

It was stated that Lee Kwong-sang, a worker at a knitting factory, was on his way home when he was stopped by two men, who ordered him to put up his hands. Being under the impression that they were police searchers, he obeyed, and was robbed of a metal watch and chain he had in his breast pocket.

DOLLAR STILL UNCHANGED

LOWER RATES SEEM LIKELY

The Hongkong dollar remains unchanged to-day, although silver is slightly down both in London and New York. The market opened steady, but later an easier undertone developed, and lower rates seem possible.

In London, silver declined 1/16th spot and forward. There was no special feature, the market being very quiet.
Silver is down 1/8th in New York, where the market is dull. Futures are also weaker.

U.S. BASEBALL

WASHINGTON BEAT YANKEES

Cleveland's third straight victory over Chicago and New York's defeat at Washington were the features of to-day's ball games which resulted as follows:

National League.	
Cincinnati	7 Pittsburgh
Chicago	1 St. Louis
American League.	
Washington	4 New York
Cleveland	11 Chicago
St. Louis	4 Detroit

WATERLOO BRIDGE SURPRISE

HALF-PRICE OFFER TO I.C.C.

Further impetus is given to the controversy surrounding Waterloo Bridge by a new scheme prepared by Sir E. Owen Williams, the well-known engineer.

He has designed a bridge on an entirely new plan and estimates that the total cost of the work would be \$693,000, compared with \$1,295,000 estimated by the London County Council.

This new scheme will renew the discussions as to the type of bridge which should be constructed to replace the present structure and as to the amount of money which should be expended on the project.

Sir Owen Williams was consulting civil engineer to the British Empire Exhibition of 1921 and has been responsible for several important construction works.

The new design provides for six lines of traffic and two footways, and Sir Owen has made a formal offer to the L.C.C. to demolish the present bridge, construct its successor according to his plans, maintain and ultimately demolish the temporary structure, at a total cost of \$693,000, including all contingencies.

The Scheme.

"The bridge would be of reinforced concrete," said Sir Owen "and would be supported on single cylindrical columns placed on the site of the existing piers."

"The underside of the bridge would be perfectly level, giving a clear roadway above high water of 28 feet for its entire length, compared with the headway of 27 feet at the crown only of the arches of the existing bridge. The single row of cylindrical piers would be of 20 feet diameter, compared with the existing piers, which are 75 feet long by 20 feet thick.

"Special care has been taken in the planning of the bridge to guard against subsidence, the piers having been designed to take the proper pressures on London clay."

"I consider that round piers are eminently the most suitable for Waterloo Bridge, for the river is at a right angle there, and the water flows in all directions at the bend. The piers offer the same resistance to the water in whatever direction it is moving. Then, too, with round piers and with the underside of the bridge perfectly level, river traffic may pass under the bridge at any place, instead of being compelled to take the arches in the centre."

"Reinforced concrete has been chosen as the medium," he added "because it allows of reasonable cost, while, at the same time, is as durable as any other material. There is no other bridge, so far as I know, constructed on this principle, but I have made my plans with the fullest regard to all the factors peculiar to the site."

"Appropriate action" will be taken in connexion with the scheme, an official of the L.C.C. informed the *Morning Post*.

The possibilities of such an enterprise had not escaped the attention of the Commissioner and two hundred and fifty policemen had been stationed in the Square from the early afternoon.

The police employed their truncheons to disperse the May Day procession and several were injured and several arrests were made.

FIERCE STRUGGLE

Later.
The attempt of London's May Day demonstrators to reach the Japanese Embassy to protest against Japanese policy in the Far East led to a fierce struggle. The demonstrators, when warned that they would not be allowed to proceed into Portman Square, began to throw stones at the police, who on foot and mounted, charged the mob with their batons drawn.

INSPECTOR INJURED.

A police-inspector and a constable, and three of the demonstrators were injured during the disturbance, while eight arrests were effected.

Early news from the European capitals indicate that May Day passed fairly quietly.—*Reuter*.

MADRID PARALYSED.

Madrid, May 2.

All work was brought to a standstill in Madrid yesterday, the tramway service, the underground railways and the taxicab services all being paralysed by the May Day demonstrations, which occurred all over the country but took a serious form only in one or two centres. Three Communists and two policemen were injured when the police charged and dispersed a Communist gathering in the centre of Madrid.

CORDOVA CLASH.

One man was killed and six seriously injured in a clash between police and Communists at Cordova, where a general strike is threatened for to-day as a protest against the events of May Day.—*Reuter*.

POLAND CLASH.

Warsaw, May 2.

May Day was quietly conducted in Poland with the exception that two Communists were killed in a fight with police at Dombrowa.—*Reuter*.

MANCHURIA TOWN LOOTED

REFUSED TO PAY FOR IMMUNITY

Harbin, May 2.

Bandits and demoralised troops are reported to have occupied Sunhua on the Hulan-Hailun Railway and looted the town after the failure of the leading citizens to pay \$75,000 as the price demanded for leaving the town unmolested.

There is now no communication between Harbin and centres to the north of Sunhua.—*Reuter*.

This means that it will probably receive early consideration by the Improvements Committee of the Council, of which Sir Percy Sladen is Chairman.

HONOUR-SLAYING VERDICT

INDIGNATION IN AMERICA

DEMAND FOR AN ENQUIRY

Washington, May 1.

The verdict in the honour-slaying trial—manslaughter against all four accused, Mrs. Fortescue, Lieut. Massie, Lord and Jones—is sharply criticised throughout the United States.

Very strong comments were made in the Senate, the verdict being described by Senators as a cruel miscarriage of justice.

It is suggested that there should be a Congressional Enquiry or a



Col. and Mrs. Fortescue.

Navy investigation and that if the facts are as reported in the Press, the accused should be pardoned.

NAVAL OFFICERS INCENSED.

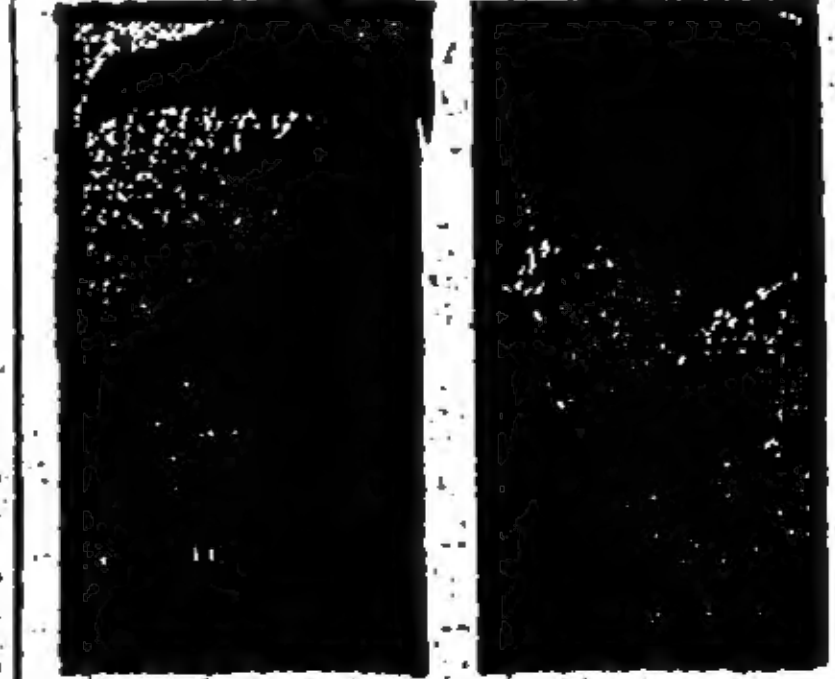
Many naval officers are highly indignant at the verdict.

Colonel Granville Fortescue, father of Mrs. Massie, who was unable to attend the trial owing to illness, when he heard the verdict exclaimed: "O God. That's terrible," and immediately left for Washington.

It is understood that he consulted the authorities regarding the possibility of a new trial in the United States and was advised that a re-trial could not be held legally at present.

FAMOUS ANCESTORS.

Mrs. Fortescue is a niece of the famous inventor of the telephone,



Lieut. and Mrs. Massie.

Alexander Graham Bell, and a granddaughter of Gardner Hubbard, the wealthy Boston financier, who sponsored Bell when he first put the telephone on the market. With her brother and sister she spent every winter of her childhood at the famous Bell estate in Connecticut Avenue, Washington.

NAVAL ARMAMENT

MR. MACDONALD ON PROSPECTS OF REDUCTION

(Reuter's Special Service).

London, May 1.

Mr. Ramsay MacDonald arrived at Victoria Station to-day well. His general health has been good during his absence.

Interviewed by Reuter regarding the Disarmament Conference, the Prime Minister said:—"A tremendous amount of work yet remains to be done, and difficult problems will have to be faced, but I believe it can be done."

RETURNING LATER.

The conversations which were interrupted by the illness of Mr. Tardieu will be resumed as soon as possible, and I shall return to Geneva to participate therein.

"I attach the greatest importance, and make it the acid test, to whether the London Naval Treaty signed by three Powers—Britain, Japan and the United States—can be made into a general agreement."

LEADERS LEAVE GENEVA

QUIETLY CONFIDENT OF SUCCESS

Geneva, May 1.

Mr. H. L. Stimson, the American Secretary of State, left for Cannes to-day and embarks for New York on Tuesday.

He declared that he was well satisfied with his visit and was confident that the Disarmament Conference would be successful.

Mr. Stimson added that his discussion of Far East problems with the statesmen interested had been of great value.

Other leading delegates are also departing, likewise quietly confident of the ultimate success of disarmament endeavours.—*Reuter*.

which is one of the great show-places of the capital, and her summers were spent at Twin Oaks, the great estate of her grandfather.

Colonel Granville Fortescue, her husband, is a cousin of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, the present Governor-General of the Philippines.

GLOBE-TROTTERS.

Both Colonel and Mrs. Fortescue have spent a considerable time in the Far East, as well as Central America and Europe. Since the war, they have spent their time between globe-trotting and the huge mid-Victorian house on Long Island that belonged to the Roosevelts.

Mrs. Thalia Massie, the central figure of the grim drama, is the eldest daughter of the family.—*Reuter and N. E. A.*

FRENCH ELECTIONS

ANDRE TARDIEU RETURNED

Final Party State Doubtful

Paris, May 1.

France polled in the general election to-day and the occasion passed without serious untoward incident.

All the great party leaders have been returned, in most cases with easy victories, but the general results which have thus far been announced, give no indication of the final state of the parties.

The first results declared included the name of the Prime Minister, M. Tardieu, who was re-elected for Belfort by a majority of nearly three thousand.

HERRIOT BACK AGAIN.

M. Herriot, the ex-Premier and leader of the Radical-Socialist Party, was re-elected for Lyons by a large majority, while M. Paul Reynaud, the Minister of Justice, and M. Tardieu's chief lieutenant, was re-elected for Paris constituency with a comfortable margin.

Curiously enough, the first result declared was from Saigon, coming through early because of the difference in time. The result was negative and a second ballot will be necessary.

LEADERS SUCCESSFUL.

M. Painleve, ex-War Minister and ex-Premier, has been re-elected as have M. Rollin, Minister of Commerce, and M. Daladier, the Radical leader.

M. Saure, the Secretary-General of the Socialist Party, was defeated.

Enormous crowds are awaiting the results at the Town Hall and the newspaper offices.

M. Chautemps, the Radical ex-Premier, M. Bouisson, the President of the Chamber, M. Leon Blum, the Socialist leader, M. Louis Marin, the Rightist leader, and M. Dumesnil, the ex-Minister of Marine, have all been re-elected.—*Reuter*.

Later.
The results up to 3 a.m. do not alter appreciably the position of the parties.—*Reuter*.

STATE OF PARTIES.

Paris, May 2.

At 1.30 a.m. the state of the Parties was as follows:

Right	39
Left Republicans	17
(Tardieu's group)	
Centre	14
Radicals	9
Rep. Socialists	8
Socialists	22
Communists	0

Second ballots will be necessary in at least 198 constituencies.

M. Flandin, the Minister of Finance, M. Renaudel, the prominent Socialist, and M. Chappedaine, the Minister for the Colonies, have been elected.—*Reuter*.

TREE-SITTER HAS A FALL

A SLIGHTLY INSANE YOUTH

In the police list of mishaps and misadventures to-day there appears a brief report to the effect that Lam Yip-chong, 22, was slightly injured through falling from a tree. "He is slightly insane," the report added.

It appears that Lam had suffered from a slight aberration of the mind, and yielding to a passing fancy, climbed up a tree, from which he could not be induced to descend, in spite of alternate threats and persuasions. Not until he fell down of his own accord and injured himself was the episode ended.

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By W. E. McKenney.

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An original bid of two no trump shows a strong hand having all four suits stopped, and while the hand may contain a biddable four-card suit, the hand as a whole is not strong enough to make an original forcing two-bid with.

Original Bids of Two of a Suit.

An original bid of two of a suit is an absolute demand bid, and is perhaps the most abused bid in contract bridge. Under the McKenney system of contract bidding, an original two of a suit bid should not be made with a hand containing over three losing cards. It requires a partner to keep the bidding open until a game-going declaration is arrived at even though he holds a trickless hand.

Original Three Bids.

An original bid of three no trump is rarely ever made. It is a hand very seldom held as it requires all four suits doubly stopped, and invites a slam. In practically every case it is far better to open hands this strong with an original forcing two of a suit bid.

An original bid of three of a suit shows a hand long in trump and with outside defensive strength, but not quite strong enough to make an original two bid with. It informs partner that with a possible in-card in his hand you can undoubtedly go game. It further informs partner that you have no desire to play the hand at no trump and that he need not have normal trump support to take you to game.

Original Four Bids.

Any original bid of four of a suit is a pre-emptive bid and shows great length in trump and little or no defensive strength. It advises partner that you will take about eight tricks if the suit you name is trump. They are made primarily for the purpose of shutting out an opponent's bid.

While all original bids of four are pre-emptive bids, generally the only ones that accomplish their real purpose are major pre-emptive bids. To successfully pre-empt in a minor suit, the original bid should be five.

Contract players should not confuse pre-emptive bids with original bids of three. The patterns of the two hands are somewhat similar except that original three bids have side defensive strength, while pre-emptive four bids contain nothing more than a long suit and possibly a side ace or side king.

A GALA NIGHT.

EVENING'S ENJOYMENT AT
PENINSULA HOTEL

A crowd of well over 200 gathered on Saturday evening to attend the gala night in the Rose Room of the Peninsula Hotel.

Mr. A. G. Piovaneli, Manager of the Peninsula Hotel, who is always very keen in giving his patrons something new and something better, may be well satisfied with the success obtained by the new band which he was introducing to Hongkong. The Capitols, under the leadership of Mr. Dick Leuterio, have a style and a rhythm which are entirely new and exceedingly "snappy."

Many encores were insistently requested by the public who were unanimous in affirming that the new band of the Peninsula is certainly the very best one in the Colony.

As usual, an excellent dinner was served, and dancing was carried on with enthusiasm until 1 a.m.

OBITUARY

A POPULAR ENGINEER
DROWNED AT SWATOW

Advice has been received from Swatow, stating that Mr. David McCormack, the Chief Engineer on the s.s. Liangchow, of the B. & S. fleet, was accidentally drowned on Wednesday evening whilst returning to his ship from the shore. Details of the accident are meagre, but our correspondent at Swatow states that Mr. McCormack was returning to the ship, which was moored at one of the B. & S. piers, about 7.30 p.m. on Wednesday evening, and it is believed, missed his footing and fell into the sea between the ship and the pier.

The Second Officer went to his assistance, and managed to hold him up until assistance arrived, but, although vigorous attempts at resuscitation were made after the rescue, Mr. McCormack was beyond aid.

The funeral took place on Thursday afternoon at Kak-Chio, the Rev. J. O. Smith conducting the service. An inquest is being held into the fatality.

Deceased was the youngest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William McCormack of Dumbarton and was 42 years old. He served his apprenticeship in Dumbarton with Messrs. Denny & Co., and came out here eighteen years ago to join the China Navigation Company, with whom he has been connected ever since. Mr. McCormack was a freemason, and was very popular with his wide circle of friends. Much sympathy will be felt for his relatives at their sudden bereavement.

Young Rating's Death.

Frank William Louis Beckingham, ordinary seaman on H.M.S. Cornwall, passed away yesterday on his 18th birthday, after a short illness.

Regarded by his officers as a very promising young seaman and held in great affection by his colleagues, Beckingham had been in the China Station since May last year.

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon at Happy Valley and was accorded full naval honours.

Mr. Kwan Yik-Chau

His many friends in Hongkong will learn with profound regret of the sudden death of Mr. Kwan Yik-chau, the compradore of the s.s. Sui Tai, who was also a popular figure in commercial circles here. The deceased is survived by his wife, two sons, one of whom is Mr. C. Y. Kwan, the local solicitor, and two daughters. He was 53 years of age.

The late Mr. Kwan was in perfect health until recently, and his demise, which occurred yesterday morning, must have come as a shock to his family and friends.

The remains will be removed to Macao from the Tung Wah Hospital this afternoon at 6 o'clock for the s.s. Sui Tai, which will leave at 8 a.m.

Mr. Angus Buchanan.

The death occurred at Ayr, Scotland, on March 19, of Mr. Angus C. M. Buchanan, formerly Chief engineer in the China Navigation Company.

Mr. Buchanan joined the China Navigation Company in 1899 as third engineer, afterwards serving as second engineer then as chief, which position he held for many years. He retired in May, 1930, and went home to Scotland. He was of a kindly disposition and was held in high esteem by his employers and colleagues.

Mr. Buchanan is survived by his wife, son and daughter and two brothers, one of whom is Mr. George Buchanan, the well-known local engineer.

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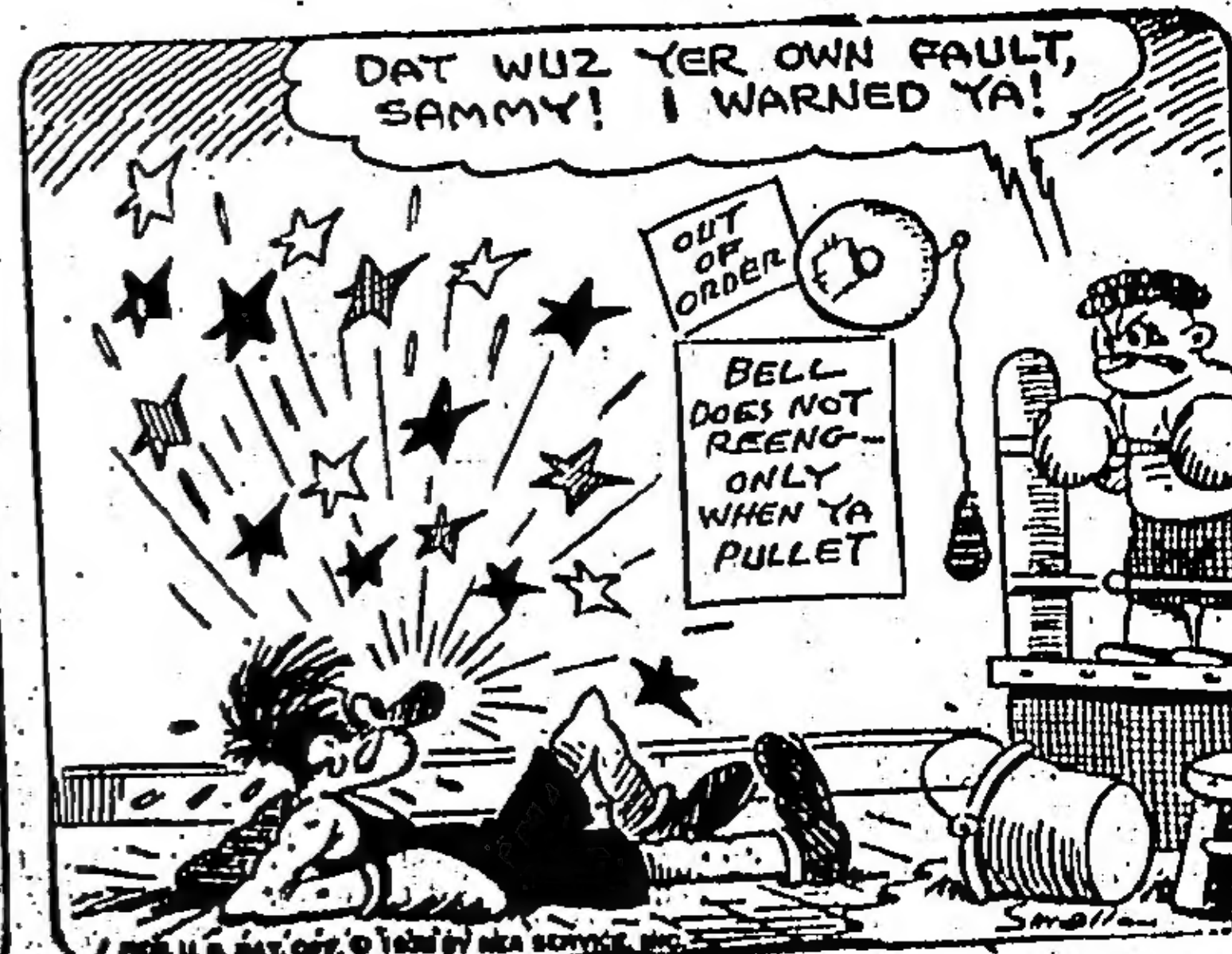
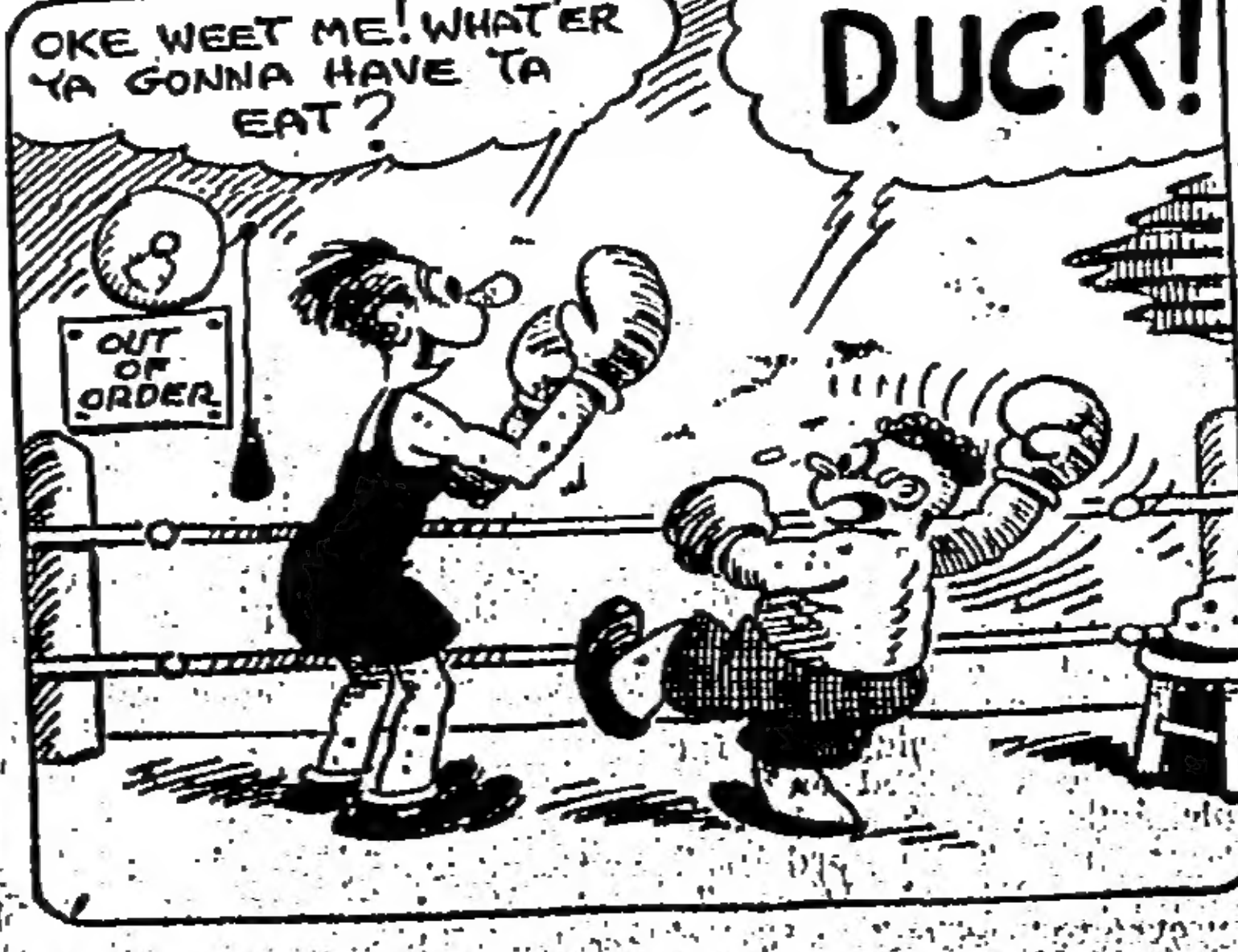
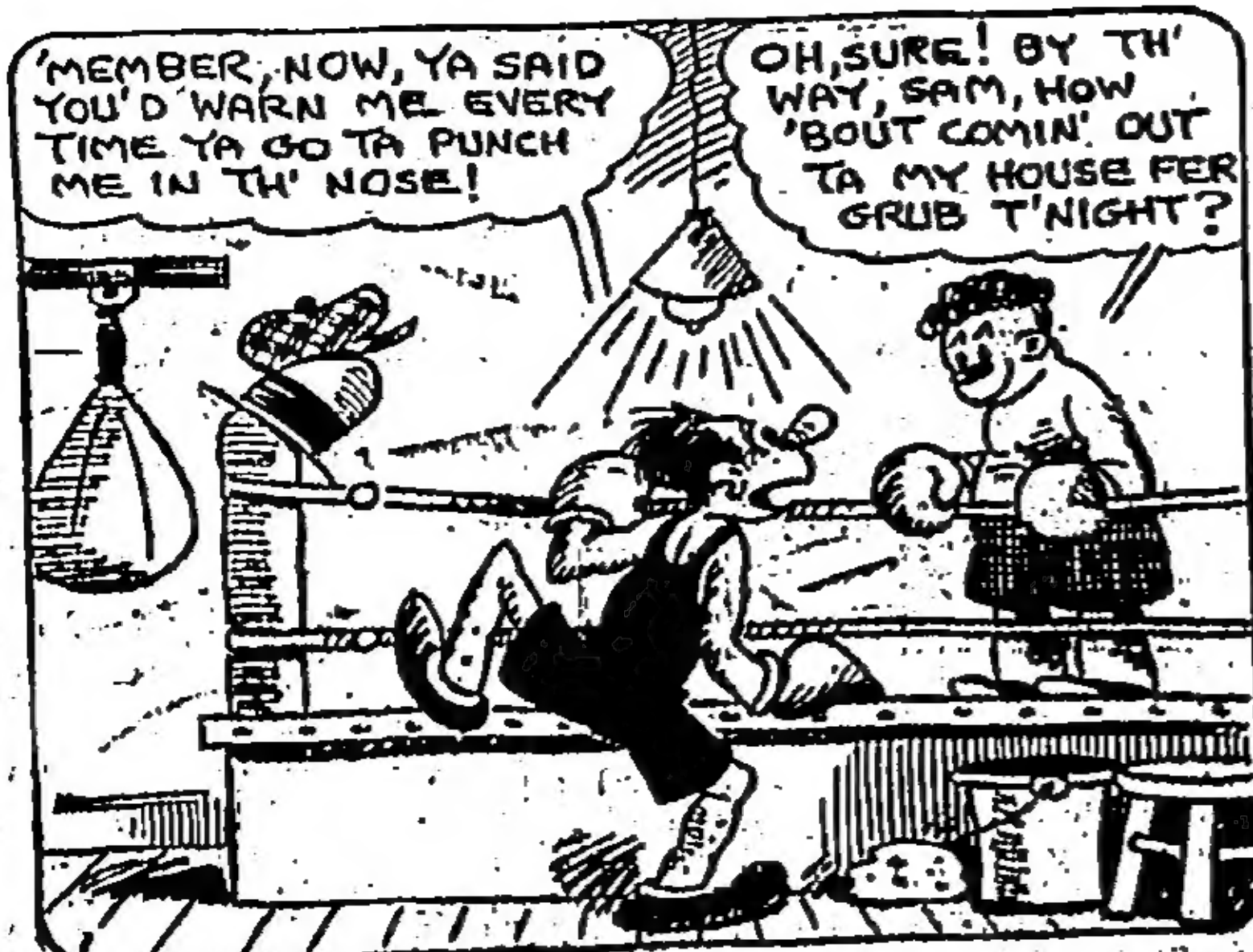
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SALESMAN SAM



One On Sam!

By Small



Peter Llwyn Davies, the young publisher, godson and ward of Sir James Barrie, and the original of "Peter Pan," became a bridegroom in London the other day. He is shown here after the ceremony with his wife, who was the Honorable Margaret Hors-Ruthven, one of the socially prominent Ruthven twins and daughter of the Governor of Guernsey. Barrie's immortal children's story, "Peter Pan," was dedicated to Peter Davies and his brothers, orphans who became the wards of the author.



Searching through the ruins at Pulaski, Tenn., for dead and injured victims after the tornado had hammered homes flat in a wide belt through the town. The death toll rose swiftly to nearly 300 as wreckage was searched and property damage passed the \$2,000,000 mark.



Unlike the old-fashioned horse-drawn sleighs that once were synonymous with the Russian scene, this "sno-sled" whirled into view on Moscow's snow-covered streets the other day to show proud citizens the Soviet government's newest mechanical product. The sled-like vehicle, capable of considerable speed, is driven by propellers.



New president of the Irish Free State, Eamon De Valera, here is shown arriving at the opening of the Dail in Dublin.



Bales of hay were hurled about and timbers swept away when the tornado smashed this barn at Newport, Ala. Picture shows National Guardsmen and stricken townsfolk as they burrow into the wreckage for possible victims.

The dime-a-dance girl

BY JOAN CLAYTON

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY.

Beautiful Ellen Rosette, a salesgirl in Barclay's Department Store, works nights as a dance hall hostess. She lives with her mother, Molly Rosette, her older sister, Myra, and her baby brother, Mike. At Dreamland she meets and falls in love with handsome Larry Harrowgate, an artist. Later she learns Larry is engaged to Elizabeth Brown, a debutante. Steven Barclay, 67 and Ellen's employer, is in love with her. Without Ellen's knowledge her mother invites Barclay to dinner and borrows money to make the apartment more attractive. Ellen is furious, but when Barclay arrives she is compelled to be friendly.

That night he asks Ellen to marry him and she refuses. Unwittingly she leaves him with hope of winning her. Gossip circulates at the store and Ellen asks to be transferred to another department. Barclay gives her a job as assistant buyer at an increase in salary.

CHAPTER XXI.

Lorene Elcott proved to be a smart, thin woman who carried a lorgnette and had never quite learned to manage it. After several questions nervously asked and nervously answered she pronounced herself satisfied. There had been no discussion of salary between Ellen and Steven, but Lorene had her instructions and Ellen, naive and ignorant, was stupefied with delight to learn that as an assistant buyer she would receive \$50 a week. That was \$30 more than a salesgirl in cretonnes received.

"Are you sure it's \$50 a week?" Ellen managed to say. "Perfectly sure," Lorene responded with a cryptic smile. Inwardly the older woman sighed a little for her own lost youth and lost enthusiasm. Years ago \$30 extra each week would have changed entirely the course of Lorene Elcott's life. Now a raise meant only that she could invest a little more in safe bonds. She roused from her dream of long ago and smiled at Ellen.

"I hope \$50 a week will be satisfactory." "Satisfactory? Oh!" Ellen stammered. "That's not the word at all. It's simply perfect. You can't know how perfect it is. Just wait till my mother hears this!"

Then and then only a sudden doubt smote her. She flushed furiously.

"Is there something else you want to ask?" Lorene said.

"Why, yes," Ellen conceded in a low tone. She struggled a moment and finally got it out. "Is that the regular starting salary for assistant buyers?"

"It's the regular salary," Lorene

replied promptly and untruthfully. Since receiving Steven Barclay's instructions Lorene, not unnaturally, had been prepared to dislike the recipient of his favour. Ellen's innocent, embarrassed and proud little question had changed all that, had promptly made a place for her in Lorene's affections.

Entirely reassured, Ellen ran to telephone her mother. Molly was in the seventh heaven. Everything was marvellous. When the girl returned to the basement to remove her belongings, she was so light-hearted she felt almost giddy. What did she care for the other girls now? She was an assistant buyer! An assistant buyer with a salary of \$50 a week. In no time at all the insurance would be paid again. Fifty dollars a week! That was wealth!

Jenny was consumed with curiosity, eager to apologize and to make friends again, but Ellen gave her no chance. She gathered up her comb, brush and the mirror she kept tucked away under the counter. She was pretending that Jenny Mrs. Bondy and all the others had nothing to do with her.

She knew well enough that a scandalous inference could and probably would be drawn from her sudden rise in the world but she would not think of that. Nothing should be permitted to spoil her pleasure. What the others said could not affect her.

It could, of course. But not then.

Turning away from the counter, her arms full of her small possessions, Ellen walked straight into someone.

"I beg your pardon!" she said quickly.

"Aren't you even going to give me a glance?" Larry Harrowgate exclaimed.

For a second she was bewildered. Then her face lighted and her heart leaped upward.

"Larry!"

"I've been hanging around for 15 minutes," he was saying excitedly. "I thought you'd never come. Here—lemme help!"

He attempted to relieve her of the jumbled assortment in her arms. Conscious of Jenny's open mouth and equally open curiosity, Ellen flushed and shook her head.

"You shouldn't have come here," she said quietly, moving away.

"Aren't you glad to see me?" "Of course I am, silly," she told him with a confused laugh.

How handsome he was! She loved the way he kept in step with her. She loved his calm obliviousness to the stir they were causing on the floor. They did look a trifle odd—the handsome youth in flannels and the girl in workaday store costume with neat paper cuffs and sensible shoes. Ellen knew that.

But she felt a delicious flutter as he explained that he had learned from Salomon where she worked day times. That must mean something. It would certainly mean something if anyone other than Larry were concerned. But for that harum-scarum, she already knew, to have an impulse was to obey it.

"Our old friend Salomon was convinced my intentions were dishonorable," he remarked impudently, glancing sideways at her. "I had to tell him that I only meant to carry you off to lunch. By the way, am I carrying you off to lunch?"

"I'm afraid not," Ellen explained with a serious and businesslike air. "I've a new job and I mean to learn so much that I won't have time today."

"Nonsense," he protested. "Surely you aren't saying you prefer a career to me. I'll be back at 12 sharp."

Ellen saw that he did not for a minute believe she had refused his invitation.

"You don't understand," she persisted half-heartedly. "I simply can't go with you today. It's my first day at this job—I'm to be a buyer—or an assistant buyer. I should say."

Her tone rose triumphantly. But it was evident that being a buyer meant nothing to Larry. They had reached the elevator. When Ellen rang the bell he became convinced of her earnestness, and at the same time, abruptly cross.

"You aren't telling me," he began in annoyance, "that after I've hung around in that stuffy basement all morning waiting for you I can't take you to lunch because of some stupid job?"

"Just that," she assured him.

"I certainly rate with you, don't I? I've a job too, you know. Three orders for pictures and I haven't



The rivalry of Chinese girls to be first of their race to become licensed pilots was won by Miss Katherine Sui Fun Cheung of Los Angeles. She is shown receiving congratulations of Miss Ardette Cadwallader, president of the Chicago Girls' Flying Club.

done a tap on any of them. But I was glad enough to take time off."

"Maybe you're better able to take time off," she replied sulkily.

The elevator descended and the doors opened. Early shoppers straggled inside. Ellen said a stiff goodbye. For a moment she thought he meant to say something further, then he bowed coldly and moved away.

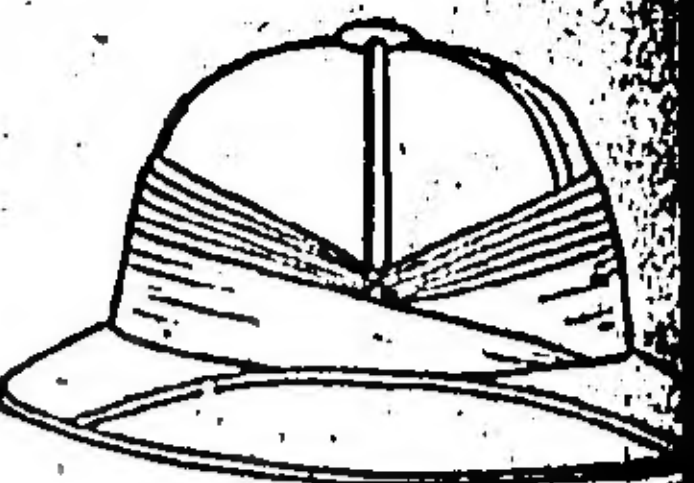
Larry had destroyed her pleasure in the new job. The afternoon seemed long and dull and profitless. Lorene's chatter and constant references to Steven Barclay grew disproportionately irksome. Ellen vaguely realized that she wanted to love Steven and to hate Larry and that much of her discontent and dissatisfaction with the world was due to her double failure. The realization did not better matters.

That night at Dreamland she did not expect Larry. All the afternoon she had tried to make herself understand that it was entirely possible she might never see him again. So that evening was stale and flat to her; the dancing boring and her own popularity boring. She hated dancing with the men who frequented Dreamland, hated the pink and gilt hall, the tinny, mechanical music. But it was her job—even if it was to last only a short time

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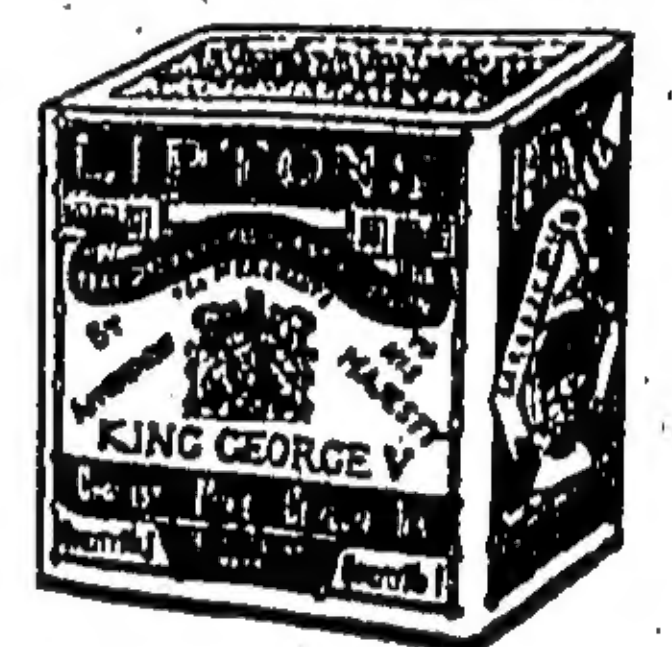
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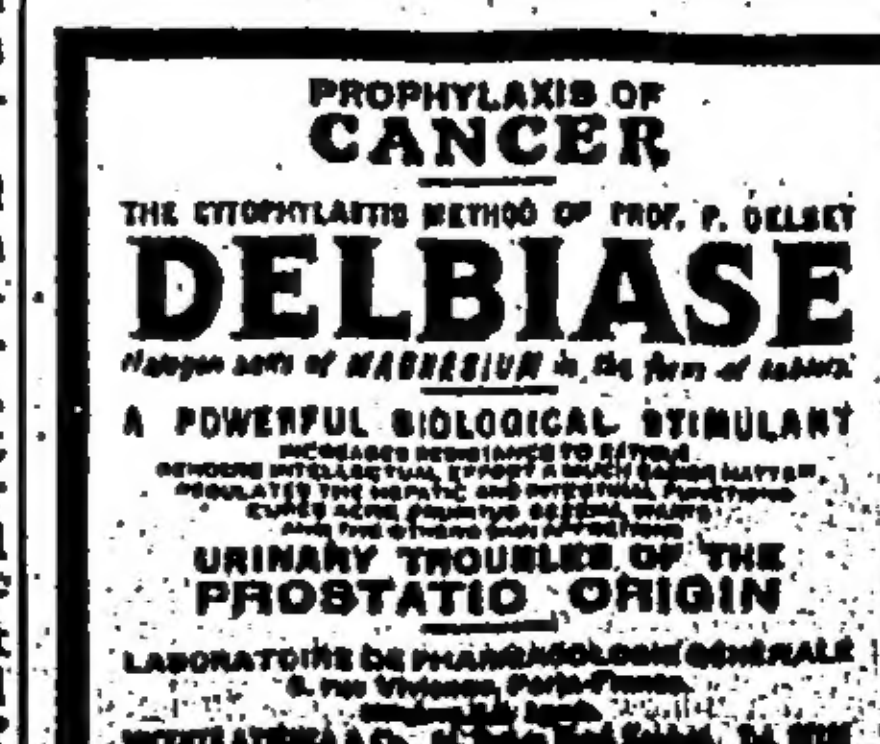
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NEW ADVERTISEMENT

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Sixth Extra Race Meeting to be held on Saturday, 14th and Monday, 16th May, 1932, (weather permitting) may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, the Club House, Happy Valley, the Hong Kong Club, the Sports Club, and the Stables, Village Road. Entries close at 12 o'clock Noon on Thursday, 5th May, 1932. By Order,
S. A. SLEAP,
Actg. Secretary.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

The Fifty-first Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the Offices of the General Managers, Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., Pedder Street, Hong Kong, on Wednesday, the 18th May, 1932, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, passing the Accounts, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 11th May to 1st June, 1932, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board.
JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LIMITED,
General Managers.
Hongkong, 2nd May, 1932.

THE CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

The Fifty-first Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Offices of the undersigned on Thursday, the 19th May 1932, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Agents, together with a statement of Accounts for the year ended the 31st December 1931. The Share Register and Transfer Books will be closed from the 5th to the 19th May, 1932, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LIMITED,
General Agents.
Hongkong, 28th April, 1932.

NOTICE.

The undermentioned gentlemen have this day been elected Members of the Hong Kong Share-brokers' Association.

Mr. Andrew Tse,
Mr. Kwok Hin Wang,
Mr. Tong Fu Sam,

By order of the Committee,
LO KIN FAI,
Secretary.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

Messrs. Goddard & Douglas Marine Surveyors give Notice of removal from their present office at No. 4A, Des Voeux Road, (3rd floor), to a new office in Alexandra Building 1st floor as from 30th April, 1932.

NOTICE.

As from the 1st proximo Mr. C. H. Hoare will sign per procurator for the undernamed establishment, no other signature will be valid after the above specified date.

HENRY'S AUTO SERVICE
April 27th 1932.

REMOVAL NOTICE.

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UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LTD.

(Incorporated in Hong Kong).

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FIFTY-NINTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Society will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, Union Building, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, 27th MAY, at 11 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1931, and of declaring Dividends, etc. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Society will be CLOSED from 9th MAY to 27th MAY, Both Days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
PAUL LAUDER,
General Manager.
Hongkong, 30th April, 1932.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LTD.

(Incorporated in Hong Kong).

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SIXTY-THIRD ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Company will be held at its HEAD OFFICE, Union Building, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, 27th MAY, 1932, at 11.15 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1931, and of declaring Dividends, etc. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 9th MAY to 27th MAY, Both Days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
PAUL LAUDER,
General Manager.
Hongkong, 30th April, 1932.

BRITISH TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LTD.

(Incorporated in Hong Kong).

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SIXTY-SIXTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Company will be held at its HEAD OFFICE, Union Building, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, 27th MAY, 1932, at 11.20 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1931, and of declaring Dividends, etc. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 9th MAY to 27th MAY, Both Days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
PAUL LAUDER,
General Manager.
Hongkong, 30th April, 1932.

HONGKONG SHARE MARKET.

OFFICIAL SUMMARY BY STOCK EXCHANGE.

Markets opened quietly steady, with a predominating demand for the investment section. New listings: Wallace Harper & Co., Ltd., and China Sports, Ltd.

Sales
Union Insurances \$465
Providents (Old) \$4.90
Hongkong Lands \$76 1/2
Hongkong Trams \$22
Govt. Loans 1 1/2% Premium X. Interest

Buyers
Hongkong Banks \$1500
Canton Insurances \$1240
Union Insurances \$460
Union Waterboats \$19 1/4
Benguet Explorations 30 cents.
Wharves \$142 1/2
Hongkong Lands \$76 1/2
Peak Trams (Old) \$15 1/2
China Lights (Old) \$20.50
Hongkong Electric \$73 1/2
Macao Electric \$24
Canton Ice \$4 1/2
Cements (Combined) \$18 1/2
Cements (Old) \$13
Dairy Farms \$27 1/2
Watsons (Old) \$13.70
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Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "Via Siberia" if so supercribed.

INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Date
Shanghai & Swatow	Kaying	May 2.
U. S. A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai		
Shanghai	Pres. MacKinley	May 3.
(San Francisco, 8th April)		
Shanghai	Aliporo	May 3.
Batavia	Tjinegara	May 3.
Amoy and Swatow	Van Heutsa	May 4.
Manila	Empress of Japan	May 4.
Calcutta and Straits	Tilawa	May 4.
Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers)		
London, 7th April and Parcells, 31st March.	Ranchi	May 4.
Australia & Manila	Tanda	May 4.
Japan	Melbourne Maru	May 5.
Japan and Shanghai	Shinyo Maru	May 5.
U. S. A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai		
hal (Seattle, 16th April)		
Japan and Shanghai	Pres. Jefferson	May 6.
Japan	Hanpura	May 6.
Saloon	Manila Maru	May 6.
Japan and Shanghai	Athos II	May 10.
Australia & Manila	Porthos	May 10.
Canada, U. S. A., Japan and Shanghai	Taiping	May 10.
hal (Vancouver B. C., 23rd April)		
Straits	Empress of Asia	May 11.
Japan and Shanghai	Torukuni Maru	May 11.
	Surwa Maru	May 13.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time
Swatow	Hydrangea	Mon., May 2, 8 p.m.
Batavia	Tjisaroca	Tues., May 3, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiching	Tues., May 3, 1 p.m.
Fort Bayard	Wing Wo	Tues., May 3, 1.30 p.m.
Manila	Pres. McKinley	Tues., May 3, 4.30 p.m.
Swatow	Fooshing	Tues., May 3, 5 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U. S. A., Canada, Central and South America and Europe via San Francisco and Europe via Siberia	Asama Maru	Wed., May 4, 9.15 p.m.
	Reg.	May 3, 5 p.m.
	Letters	May 4, 8.30 a.m.
	(Due San Francisco, 25th May)	
Amoy	Taiyuan	Wed., May 4, 8.30 p.m.
Straits	Van Heutsa	Thurs., May 5, 10.30 a.m.
*Japan and *Canada	Proteslaus	Thurs., May 5, 10.30 a.m.
	(Due Vancouver B.C., 30th May)	
Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane	Melbourne Maru	Thurs., May 5, 10.30 a.m.
	Parcells	May 5, 2 p.m.
	Reg.	May 5, 2.45 p.m.
	Letters	May 5, 3.30 p.m.
	(Due Brisbane, 18th May)	
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U. S. A., Central and South America and Europe via Vancouver B. C., *Europe via Siberia	Emp. of Japan	Fri., May 6, 9.15 p.m.
	Parcells	May 6, 5 p.m.
	Reg.	May 6, 9.15 a.m.
	Letters	May 6, 10 a.m.
	(Due Vancouver B. C., 24th May)	
*Shanghai	Conte Rosso	Fri., May 6, 10 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hai Ning	Fri., May 6, 8.30 p.m.
Holhow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Kingyuan	Fri., May 6, 8.30 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Ranpura	Sat., May 7, 10 a.m.
	K. P. O.	
	Par.	6th, 4.30 p.m.
	Reg.	7th, 9 a.m.
	Letters	7th, 10 a.m.
	G. P. O.	
	Par.	6th, 5 p.m.
	Reg.	7th, 9.45 a.m.
	Letters	10.30 a.m.
	(Due Marseilles, 3rd June)	
*Straits, East and South Africa	Manila Maru	Sat., May 7, 10 a.m.
Samshul and Wuchow	Chung On	Mon., May 7, 4 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Jefferson	Sat., May 7, 4.30 p.m.
Straits and Calcutta	Kut Sang	Sun., May 8, 10 a.m.
	Parcells	Sat., May 7, 5 p.m.
	Letters	Sun., May 8, 9 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canton Maru	Sun., May 8, 9 a.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kiangsu	Sun., May 8, 9 a.m.
Saloon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, *Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Porthos	Tues., May 10, 10 a.m.
	K. P. O.	
	Reg.	10th, 10 a.m.
	Letters	11th, 1 p.m.
	G. P. O.	
	Reg.	12th, 12.45 p.m.
	Letters	13th, 1.30 p.m.
	(Due Marseilles, 11th June)	
Fort Bayard, Holhow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Tonkin	Tues., May 10, 1 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiyang	Tues., May 10, 1 p.m.
Manila	Emp. of Asia	Wed., May 11, 8.30 a.m.
Swatow	Hang Sang	Wed., May 11, 8.30 a.m.
Sandakan	Hinsang	Wed., May 11, 10.30 a.m.
	Superscribed Correspondence only.	

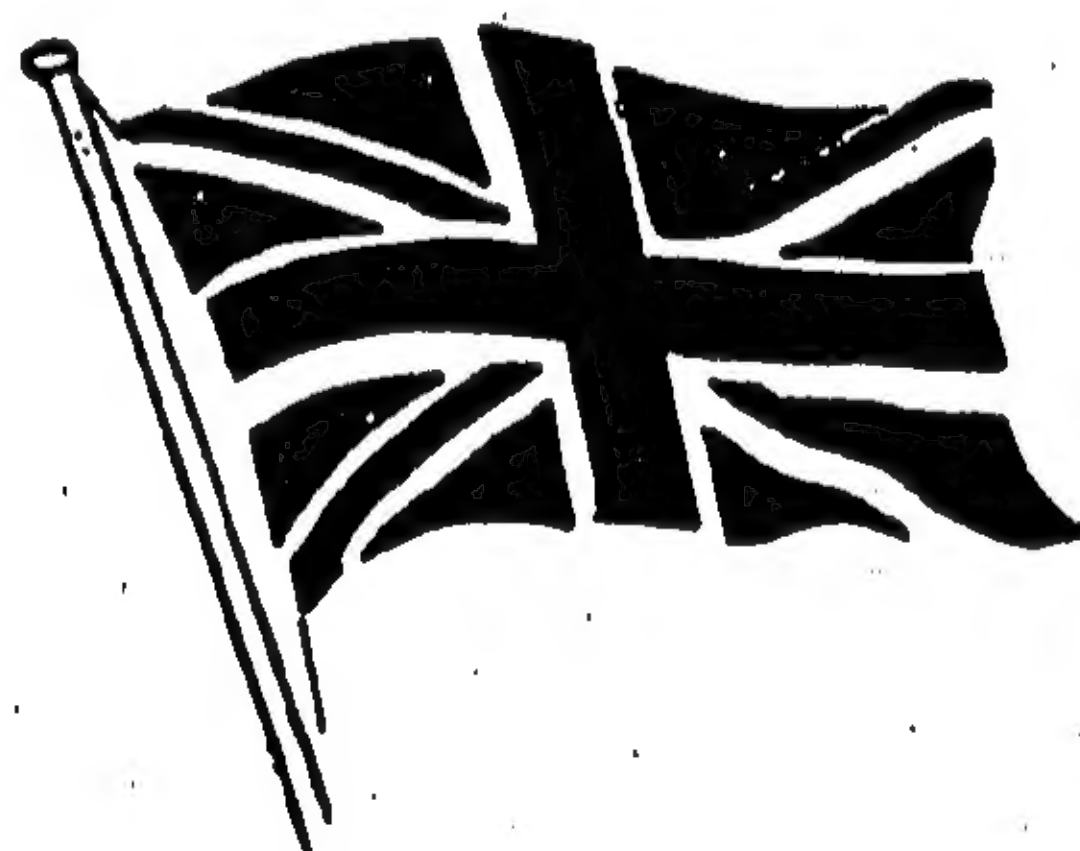
SHARE PRICES.

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS.

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:

Banks.
Hongkong Banks, \$1500 b.
Chartered Banks, \$10 1/4 n.
Mercantile Banks, \$18 1/2 n.
East Asia, \$115 n.
Am: O. Finance Corp., \$25 n.
Insurance.
Canton Ins., \$1240 b.
Union Ins., \$480 b.
China Underwriters, \$4 n.
China Fires, \$590 n.
H.K. Fire Ins., \$1,195 n.
Shipping.
Douglases, \$27 b.
H. K. Steamboats, \$23 n.
Indo-China, (Pref.) \$32 n.
Union Waterboats, \$19 1/4 b.
Mining.
China Estates, \$96 1/4 b.
Benguet Exp. 30 cts. b.
Benguet, \$15 1/2 n.
Kallans, 24/9 n.
Shai Explorations, Tls. 2.10 n.
Raubs, \$34 n.
Stocks, etc.
Kowloon Wharves \$142 1/2 b.
Whampoa Docks, \$20 1/2 n.
South China Motors \$10 n.
Providents (old), \$40 aa.
Hongkows, Tls. 225 n.
New Engineers Tls. 6 n.
Shanghai Docks, Tls. 8 1/2 n.
Cottons.
Ewo Cottons, Tls. 18.60 n.
Shanghai Cotton, Tls. 75 n.
Zoon Sings Tls. 10 1/4 n.

Lands, Hotels, etc.
H.K. Hotels, \$13.15 n. Cum Rts.
H. K. Hotels Rights, \$2.40 n.
H.K. Lands, \$76 1/2 b.
Mekro Lands \$10 n.
Shai Lands, Tls. 24 n.
Humphreys, \$18.50 n.
Asia Realities "B", \$23 n.
Realities, \$11.60 n.
Asia Realities "A", \$160 n.
Public Utilities.
Tramways, \$22 aa.
Peak Trams, (old), \$15.50 n.
Star Forties, \$30 n.
China Lights, \$20.90 b.
H. K. Electric, \$78 1/4 b.
Macao Electric, \$24 b.
Telephones, \$38 1/2 n.
China Buses, Tls. 16 n.
Singapore Traction, 3/- n.
Industrial.
Malabons, \$21 n.
Canton Ices, \$4 1/4 b.
Cements (com.), \$18.70 b.
Ropes, \$14.10 n.
Stores, etc.
Dairy Farms, \$27 1/4 b.
Watsons, (old), \$13.70 b.
Watsons (new), \$13 1/2 n.
Der A. Wings, \$1 n.
Lane Crawford, \$5.80 n.
Mackintosh, \$19 1/2 n.
Sinceres, \$17 1/4 n.
Powells, \$3.35 n.
Miscellaneous.
Amusements, \$22 1/2 n.
Entertainments (old), \$14.25 n.
Constructions (old), \$5.60 n.
Constructions (new), \$1.75 b.
S. C. Enterprises \$3.90 n.
B. Ind. O. & Bonds, \$30 1/2 n.



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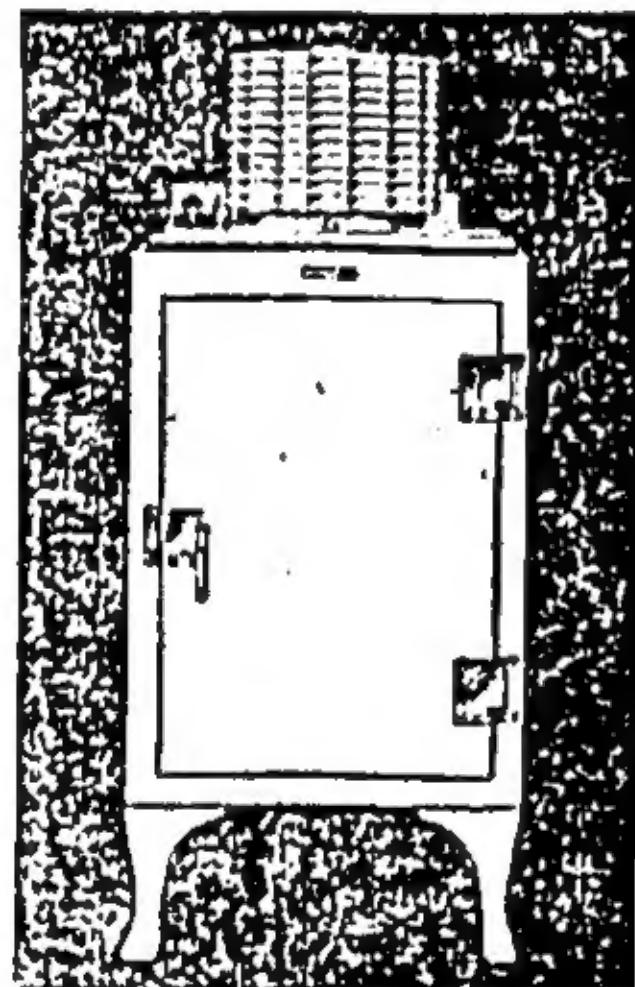
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PRESENTATION TO A PAST PRESIDENT

The opening of the lawn-bowls season at the Kowloon Bowling Green Club was marked by a farewell presentation to Mr. D. F. Warren, Vice-President of the Club in 1928, and President in 1929, who is leaving the Colony for Vancouver shortly.

The two teams which played during the afternoon were skippered by Warren and Mr. E. W. L. Hogbin, the President of the Club, the latter's team winning by 13 shots after an enjoyable game.

At the conclusion of the game, members gathered inside the clubhouse, where Mr. Hogbin presented Mr. Warren with a carved ivory tusk and an illuminated address on behalf of the members.

The following was the address: Kowloon Bowling Green Club, Kowloon, Hongkong, Delbert Fred Warren, Esq., Vice-President 1928, President 1929.

Sir,—On your departure from the Colony and the consequent severance of your connection with this Club, the Members wish to place on record their very high appreciation of the services which you have rendered during the eight years of your Membership.

Joining the Club on your arrival in the Colony in 1924, you became Vice-President in 1928 and President in 1929. Your enthusiasm for Lawn Bowls has been exceeded only by your loyalty to the Club and its ideals, whilst your unfailingly cheerful encouragement has been not only a source of inspiration to the younger players, but the admiration of the older Members of the Club.

With your departure the Club will lose a keen bowler and a wise counsellor and a true friend, and whilst the present Members will long cherish the memory of your friendship, your name will be preserved in the Records of the Club through the "Attaboys" Shield which you so generously gave the Club for Annual Competition.

We wish you Good Health, Prosperity and Happiness in your Homeland.

Mr. Warren's Reply.

Mr. Warren expressed his gratitude for the honour done him. He said words could not adequately express his thanks for the carved ivory and the illuminated address, which he did not deserve. He would be in Vancouver very soon and if any members of the Kowloon Bowling Green Club passed through that port, he would like them to drop in to see him at any hour of the day or night.

The Bowls Game.

The following were the scores of the lawn bowls game:

First Rink.

R. Duncan S. E. Adams
T. Ferguson G. T. Terry
H. Rose T. Nichol
D. Warren 15 E. W. L. Hogbin 17

Second Rink.

G. H. Sherriff H. F. Stoneham
S. Ashworth T. Gooding
J. G. Meyer J. S. Logan
A. W. Davidson 22 W. E. Hale 24

Third Rink.

M. Taylor G. N. Mitchell
D. Phillips T. Hard
F. Napley F. V. Whitby
D. Gow 14 A. M. Holland 21

Fourth Rink.

W. Venables C. S. Bent
J. S. McIntosh L. Farmer
J. A. Craig V. Petherick
W. Russell 18 H. Nish 20

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SCHEME FOR GETTING RID OF MILLION BALES.

Washington, May 1.
That from half to one million bales of cotton can be disposed of abroad if the necessary credit for financing the scheme is approved by the Congress, is indicated in the report of the Cotton Advisory Committee to the Farm Board, recommending a sales policy in connection with the stabilization of holdings.—*Reuter's American Service.*

London, May 1.
At Sandwich, Eric Fridlund (Sturbridge) won the English Amateur Golf Championship by defeating A. Bradshaw (Stoke Poges), in the final by one up over a course of 36 holes.—*Reuter.*

LOCAL CRICKET

INTERPORT SIDE DO WELL

Although a good side on paper, Interport XI did not provide the opposition expected when they met the selected Interport XI on the Hongkong Cricket Club ground on Saturday afternoon. The Interport side, after knocking up 182 runs for the loss of only three wickets, skidded out their opponents for only 49 runs. G. C. Burnett was mainly responsible for the debacle of Shaw's XI, taking eight wickets for only 20 runs.

The bowling served up to the Interport batsmen was deplorably weak, however, and Saturday's game cannot be regarded as a serious test of the batting ability of the side. Shanghai bowlers like Mansell-Smith, Leach, Isaacs and others are certainly not going to bowl under-arm lobes to E. F. Fincher and Sayer, like Capt. Moir did on Saturday as a last resource.

Much ink has been spilt over the selection of G. R. Sayer, but whatever critics have said about him, he has vindicated his inclusion by hitting 71 without giving a chance. E. F. Fincher was also in good form with the bat and contributed 67 not out. His timing was faulty at the start, but after having got his eye in, he delighted the spectators with some pretty square-cutting.

Burnett returned the excellent analysis of eight for 20, but his figures rather flatter him. A. R. Minu was bowling very well at first, but fell off afterwards. He took two wickets for 13 runs.

The batting of Shaw's XI was wretched. Except for Minu, who knocked up 22 runs in a plucky innings, none of the other batsmen played with any confidence. He was given out leg before to a confident appeal, but the ball appeared to the spectators to be rising.

Interport Team.

J. E. Richardson, lb.w., b MacNab 20
G. R. Sayer, lb.w., b Musson 71
E. F. Fincher, not out 67
P. Madnar, run out 9
Extras 9

Total (for 3 wickets, decided) 182
A. C. Hamilton, E. J. R. Mitchell, A. H. Madnar, A. C. Beck, A. R. Minu, G. C. Burnett and W. T. Patterson did not bat.

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Mitchell	11	2	43	—
McLellan	3	—	6	—
Musson	11	1	32	1
Reid	7	—	20	—
Anstruther	5.5	1	22	—
MacNab	7	—	30	1
Wilkinson	3	1	8	—
Moir	2	—	12	—

Comdr. Shaw's XI.

MacNab, c & b Burnett	5
Laman, lb.w., b Burnett	22
Wood, c Beck, b Minu	3
Shaw, lb.w., b Burnett	0
Musson, lb.w., b Minu	0
Wilkinson, b Burnett	0
Moir, c Burnett	9
Reid, c Richardson, b Burnett	4
McLellan, b Burnett	0

LOCAL FOOTBALL

RUNNERS-UP ISSUE DECIDED.

The final league football game of the season was played on the Club ground between Kowloon and South Wales Borderers on Saturday, to determine the runners-up for the first Division. The teams finished equal in the table with 16 points and goal average not counting in local leagues, a match had to be arranged. The Borderers won by five goals to three.

Mrs. Ormiston presented the trophies to the winners of the three Divisions and Mr. J. McKelvie, Kowloon's captain, presented her with a bouquet in a silver holder, tied with the blue and white colours of the Association.

The winners and runners-up for the season are:
Division I. Winners, Royal Navy; Runners-up, S. W. Borderers.

Division II. Winners, Royal Argylls; Runners-up, S. W. Borderers.

Division III. Winners, S. W. Borderers; Runners-up, Royal Air Force.

NEW TURKISH MONEY.

SILVER COINS AGAIN TO BE USED

Constantinople, May 1.
The Turkish Government has decided to re-introduce silver coins, which have not been used in Turkey since 1914.

They will have the value of the Turkish lira (about half a crown).—*Reuter.*

LYTTON MISSION.

ARRIVING AT CHANGCHUN ON MONDAY

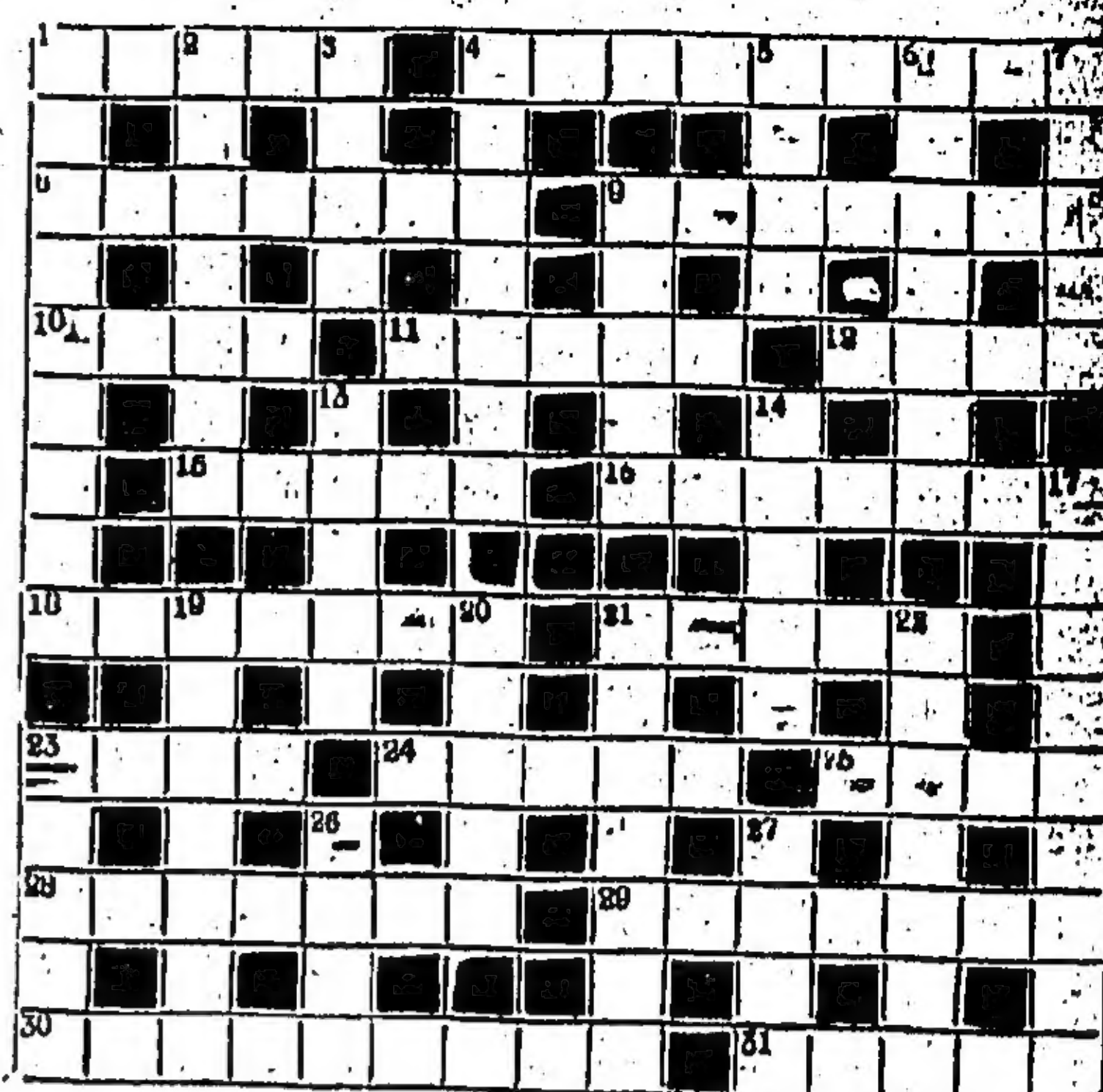
Changchun, May 1.
The Foreign Minister of the Manchukuo Government has received a telegram formally announcing the arrival of the Lytton Commission at Changchun tomorrow evening.—*Reuter's Morning Post Special.*

Anstruther, not out	3
Mitchell, c & b Burnett	0
Extras	3
Total	40

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Burnett	12	2	20	8
Minu	7	1	13	2
Hamilton	4	1	13	—

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS.



Across

- If you planted a housemaid, would this come up?
- Stable, and part of the horse is in it.
- No true believer.
- Change this man to die calm.
- Responsible for a deal.
- Vary 24 across to make a hit.
- If you accept the offer of one, you'll take hundreds.
- Most of it is what trickles into it.
- By no means credulous.
- Its tail is not absorbed, nor are its limbs pushed forth.
- Famous tunnel.
- Variation of 9 down.
- The fibre of your ancestry, perchance.
- Birds like horribles.
- By no means laconic.
- Crime.
- A great poet.

Down

- When I'm between a fish and an insect I'm sparkling.
- Not a limb on the right side as you'd imagine without hesitation.
- Manufactured in Madeira.
- Encouragement in a tug, may appear in a train.
- Had its composer been English he'd have wanted help to write this opera.
- Extract.
- May be lit up.

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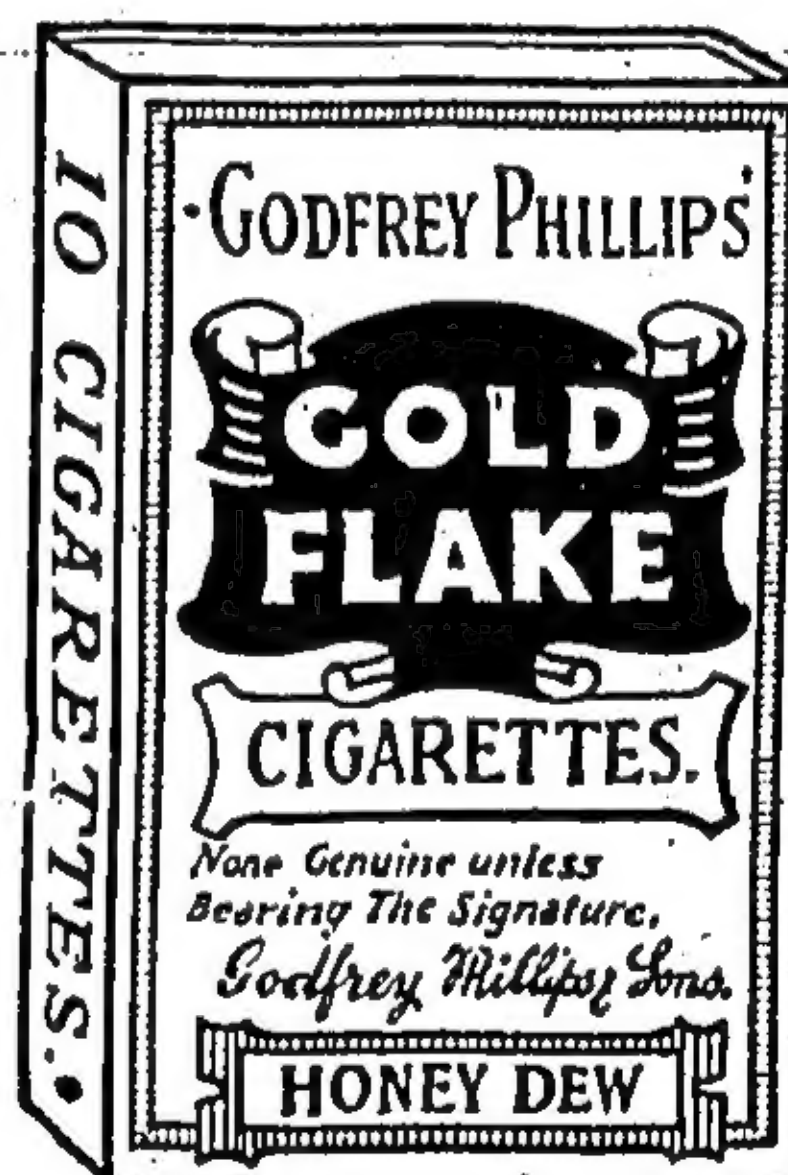
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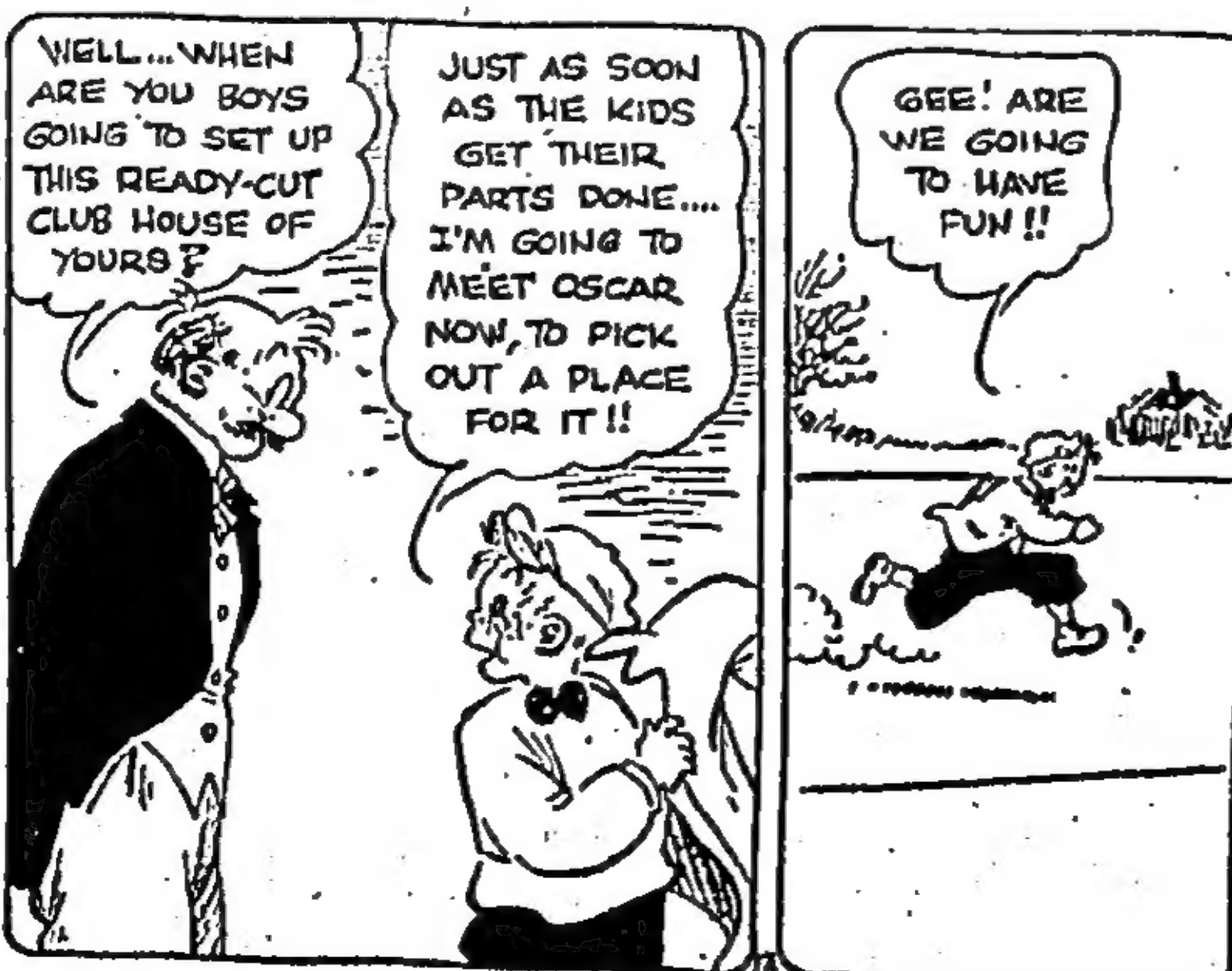
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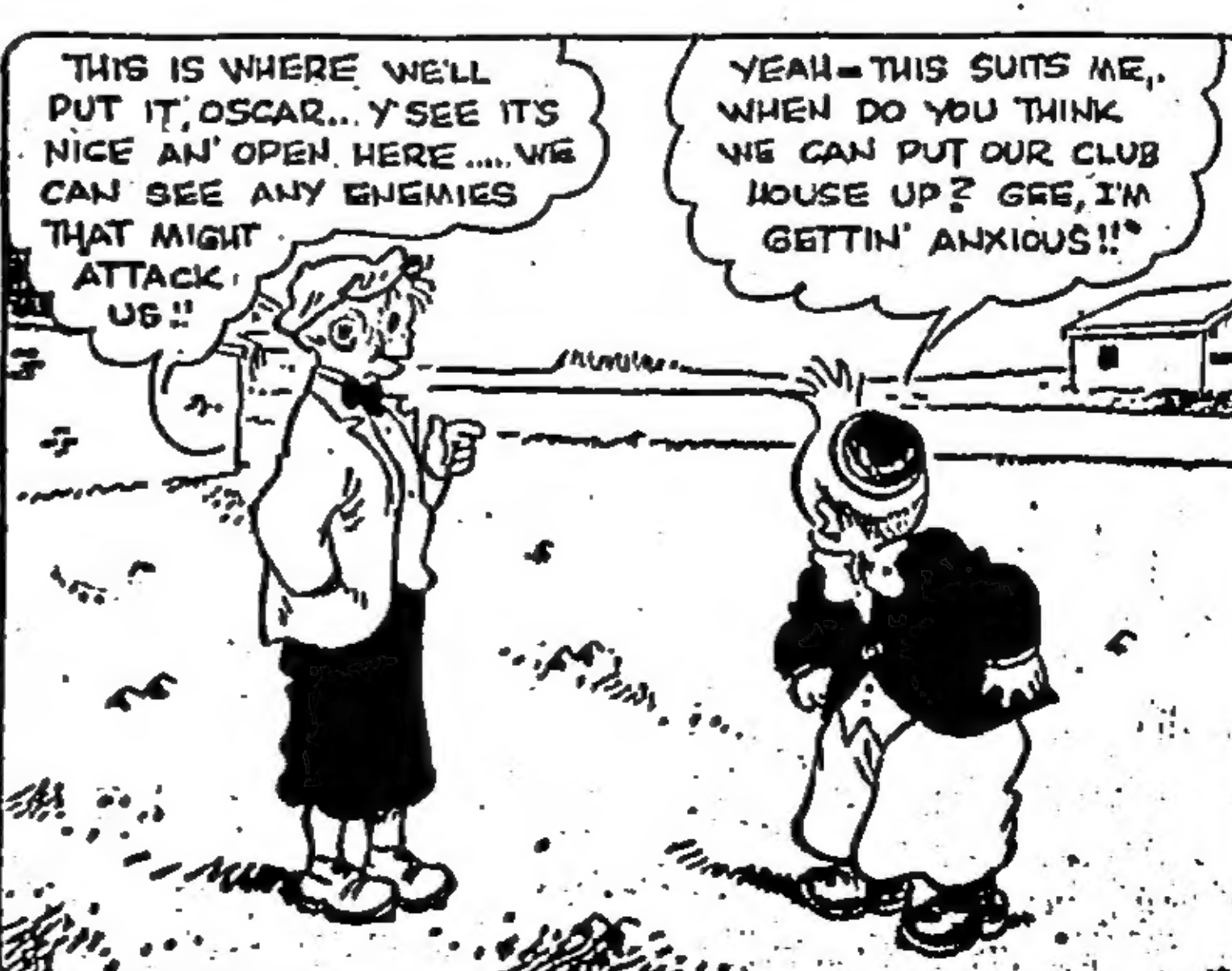
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BIRTH.

WATKINS. At the Matilda Hospital, on Wednesday, April 27, 1932, to Hazel Marjorie, wife of Rev. L. N. Watkins, a daughter.

DEATH.

KWAN YICK CHOW.—Mr. Kwan Yick Chow, comrade of S.S. Sui Tai, father of Mr. C. Y. Kwan, solicitor, passed away on the early morning of Sunday, May 1. The funeral takes place this afternoon (Monday, May 2nd) leaving the Tung Wah Hospital Mortuary at 6 p.m. for the S.S. Sui Tai, which will convey the remains to Macao the following morning. Only floral tributes will be accepted.

The Hongkong Telegraph.

MONDAY, MAY 2, 1932.

PRACTICAL EDUCATION

Among the problems which Hongkong has to face is that of evolving a system of education which shall be of practical use to young lads when they go out into life and seek to earn their living in the industrial sphere. Not only in this Colony, but in Britain as well, it has long been realised that some substitute is needed for the old-time apprenticeship system. Accordingly, many admirable educational schemes have been drawn up and put into successful operation in England by several members firms of the Association for Education in Industry and Commerce, but these efforts, worthy of praise as they undoubtedly are, touch merely the fringe of the problem, which can be properly tackled only by a scheme on a larger scale than is possible to a single firm or group of firms.

Some time back, the Association named above, in discussing at its annual conference the education system of Great Britain, especially in relation to business needs, could pass no judgment upon the commercial success of university graduates, though it noted as a significant fact that the appointments board of, for example, Cambridge University, has no difficulty in placing its clients. British university education is, except in certain branches of applied—natural science, overwhelmingly non-vocational. The defence of this from a business standpoint is the assumption that a man who has followed a course of academic reading will have thereby acquired a method of attack and a system of study readily applicable to any and every kind of business problem. That this theory is substantially sound is indicated in a statement of Sir Max Bonn, president of the Association, that frequently single concerns, or even whole industries, which have fallen into decay, have been saved by some stranger who, lacking expert knowledge, has brought to bear on the conditions a properly trained thought. Such an educational system, however, though at its best yielding the highest possible results, is not suited to all types of ability. From both a commercial and a cultural point of view there is much to be said for the contention of Sir Charles Grant Robertson that it profits only those students who are reasonably likely to attain first or second class honours in their degree examination.

The question thus arises—and it is one which greatly concerns Hongkong—as to what kind of education is to be given to those who either do not satisfy this requirement or who do not wish to enter a university. It is in dealing with this huge army of young men and women of the latter type that British education is recognized as being least effective. At present a secondary school course, for those who do not contemplate a university degree, leads nowhere, as Lord Eustace Percy observed some time ago. To complete the secondary school system on its commercial as well as on its cultural side there would seem to be needed a number of properly organized technical colleges of an academic status roughly equal to that of ordinary universities. In various countries there are several colleges in close touch with the needs of industry; and educational policies of the future will probably pay attention to the development of this idea. Hongkong will soon have its properly-organized Technical School and this will no doubt provide a body-needed link in our system of education.

In Defence of the K.R.A.

In his letter supporting the claims of one of the candidates for the vacancy on the Sanitary Board, Mr. M. K. Lo has seen fit, in a rather oblique way, to imply a lack of public-spiritedness on the part of the K.R.A. Whilst we have not the least intention of taking sides, as between one candidate and the other, we feel that in common fairness to the K.R.A. and its nominee, the issue raised by Mr. Lo should be put in its proper light. Mr. Lo bases his criticism on the Association's statement that "the expert technical and medical knowledge at the command of the Association will also be at the disposal of our candidate." As we view the matter, there is no justification whatever for investing this statement of fact with any ulterior meaning, such as the implication that the Association might withhold its advice from any member of the Board not nominated by the K.R.A. The issue is, after all, quite simple. There are two candidates for the seat, one with medical and public health qualifications; the other laying no claim to the possession of such technical knowledge. To offset any apparent handicap under which the latter may appear to be labouring, the Association quite properly stresses his official connexion with a body which has access to expert advice. There is no suggestion that the Association's candidate has exclusive contact with that body, but it is made clear that any seeming disability created by the fact that Mr. Mow Fung is a layman is, in the circumstances, more apparent than real—in other words, that what he may lack in expert knowledge is counterbalanced by the fact that he can look to the Association's experts for guidance. This is a perfectly logical and legitimate piece of propaganda, based on fact, reflecting nothing unfair or unreasonable in tactics, either on the Association or its nominee. The K.R.A.'s fine record of public service is a sufficient answer to Mr. Lo's implied criticisms, but it is well that the point on which he rests his imputations should be shown to have no substance either in theory or in fact.

Injured seriously through a fall from a window at 45 Hap Hong Road yesterday, a man named Yeung Fook, stated to be unemployed, was taken to the Kwong Wah Hospital.

DAY BY DAY

EFFECT? INFLUENCE? UTILITY? LET A MAN DO HIS WORK; THE FRUIT OF IT IS THE CARE OF ANOTHER THAN HE.—Caryl.

The P. and O. s.s. Ranchi, from Singapore, is due here with the English mail on Wednesday at 10 a.m.

The Empress of Japan (from Manila) is due here at 7 a.m. on Wednesday and will berth at Kowloon Wharf.

The week-end return of notifiable diseases shows four fresh cases of meningitis, four of diphtheria and three of small-pox.

Mr. W. J. Kenwick has been authorized to sign the name of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Co., Ltd., and Mr. H. W. Moon to sign per pro.

The Health Bulletin of Eastern Ports for the week ending the 23rd inst., shows the following cases of infectious diseases and the deaths therefrom.—Plague, Bassein 1 death, Bombay 5 cases 5 deaths, Rangoon 1 case, Calcutta 84 cases 40 deaths, Canton 1 case, Small-pox, 2 cases, Bombay 8 cases 5 deaths, Calcutta 40 cases 22 deaths, Karachi 10 cases 2 deaths, Madras 13 cases 2 deaths, Rangoon 32 cases 12 deaths, Pondicherry 5 cases 6 deaths, 27 deaths, Canton 22 cases, 1 death, Shanghai 22 cases 5 deaths, Chongkai 1 case, Cerebro-spinal Meningitis: Macao 16 cases 12 deaths.

Lois Moran and John Gilbert handle the stellar roles in "West of Broadway" and make a complete success of the task, as those who have seen the opening performance yesterday at the Queen's will agree. Briefly, the story tells of a "gold-digger" Broadway cabaret girl who, against her principles, "sells for" an intended victim she originally had in view. There are some interesting turns to the story, designed more or less to suit the type of characterization which picture-goers have been accustomed to look for from Gilbert. The picture is well worth seeing.

Janet Gaynor and Charles Farrell are featured in "Delicious," the current attraction at the King's Theatre, which drew crowded houses yesterday. There is a deal of rather sickly sentimentalism in the picture, but this is more than offset by the excellence of the acting of the leads and by the finished character of the production, which includes some very clever impressionistic scenes. El Brendel is also extraordinarily good in the role of a valet, quite his best appearance of a long time. There is a clean and wholesome atmosphere about the film and this comes as a welcome relief to the sex stuff of which we get all too much nowadays.

SUGAR MARKET.

THE LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS.

The following cable at the close of the sugar market on Saturday has been received by Messrs. Pen-treath and Co.

London Terminals.

August 1932 4/6½ down 1d. December 1932 4/10½ down 1½d.

March 1933 5/1 down 1½d. May 1933 5/2½ down 1½d. Buyer at above prices, sellers asking ¼d-½d more.

New York Terminals.

No quotations.

MOTHER & DAUGHTER— "LIKE SISTERS"

But is it Wise?

Asks

MARY BORDEN

The problem of mothers and daughters is old, as old as the family, and it will be a problem so long as the family exists.

But it changes; it grows ever more difficult and more delicate, increasing in complexity as the world becomes more civilised and men and women more expectant. Perhaps in the Stone Age there was no such problem.

Daughters in a primitive world had little to gain from disobedience to their mothers. They were probably submissive to the laws of the clan, since danger of death by violence was the most likely alternative. Youth did not in any case last long enough to allow girls to fret or get into mischief at home; and this holds true to-day in the conservative East.

When a daughter is married, leaves her father's house, and becomes a mother herself at thirteen or fourteen, she has not much chance to become bored with her parents. She is scarcely old enough when she goes away to be critical, and the experience awaiting her leaves little inclination to rebel against the authority so soon to be exchanged for another.

I think the relation of mother and daughter is more difficult to-day than it ever has been, or ever will be. The family still survives in a weakened form. Parental authority still exists, though challenged by every sort of old and young rebel.

"Preposterously Young"

It is the next inevitable experiment, predestined result of sick, precocious education, and the stimulus of speed machines, wireless, and telephones; but for the moment young women, precociously old, still live under the eyes of older women, preposterously young—their mothers; and because the mothers do not grow old quickly, while the daughters do, they are closer together than they have ever been.

Take a young modern mother of forty and a worldly wise daughter of eighteen. The result is an intimacy that many people, especially mothers, consider ideal. "We're like sisters," the mothers say. "We're the greatest friends. We do the same things, see the same people."

It is true; but I wonder sometimes what the daughters feel about it when their mothers do not drop out or make room for them: go on playing tennis, go on dining and dancing in restaurants and night clubs, go on playing the most alluring and entertaining of all games in the world with young men, with the same young men who are, or should be, in love with the lovely daughters.

Like sisters? It sounds somehow rather fatuous. And sisters are often rivals. There is often no love lost between them. But the rivalry of two sisters is natural and fair.

The older of two girls has the advantage of experience, the younger the advantage of being new, and they are roughly on an equal footing. The question of authority does not enter, whereas in a rival who is a mother that is a very different affair.

For the mother who behaves like a sister remains a mother nevertheless, and can evoke the spectre of her ancient authority at any

moment, even nowadays, without being ridiculous.

Silly Bravado

I suspect that it is a nervous strain and a nuisance to the girl to have a mother who is even the most kind and devoted of sisters. I am certain that it must be very galling to her to have a mother who is a rival.

I do not wonder that she rebels, breaks away, tries to put a distance between them, and if purchased, asserts her independence by a show of silly bravado, and often gets into scrapes, sometimes tragic or sordid, with the young men who are so spoiled by her mother's experienced friends.

One hears a good deal about the shameless depravity of the modern girl. Even the most careless modern mothers, the other type who are too busy to bother to be sisters, seem to be disturbed by it. You find groups of these energetic, much-occupied women, snatching moments between charity matinees and dinners to discuss the subject over cocktails.

I do not believe half I am told about the ugly misbehaviour. I know a lot of good girls and some bad girls. I find them honest, outspoken, gallant, never-nacked, and pathetic. Oh! very pathetic, some of them, especially the bad girls, and I am puzzled by the folly of their pretence of depravity.

For they pretend to be much wilder and wicked than they are, and it is this, I think, that makes them different from the bad girls of the days of our mothers and grandmothers.

Too Intimate.

"Can one be depraved at nineteen?" I ask myself. "Can one be a lovely child, fresh as a rose, and yet have vicious habits?" No, not in the time. One can only pretend to be depraved, try to be depraved, imitate depravity. Then why the pretence and why the effort? That is what puzzles me.

I have asked these questions of a number of girls and I have had some answers. Here they are: "They think it fun to live dangerously."

The men are so apathetic nowadays. They, the girls, think it more decent to throw themselves away on men who don't really care than to try to get husbands.

They read a lot, and get discouraged and don't believe in anything any more, and so don't care what they do.

And this, the most candid: "They admire their mothers and their mothers' friends and want to be like them."

And this, the most disturbing: "You see, their mothers are too intimate to be stern, or too busy to be angry." (The speaker was a girl of nineteen.) "I remember my mother being absolutely furious with me once. It was such a relief. I felt safe, you know."

I think these answers are interesting and worth attention. They are honest, and though they may explain nothing, they reflect something of importance, a positive idea, the innocent reactions of over-stimulated youth to the times we live in, with its jazz, its movies, and all the rest; vulgar behaviour, an extraordinary collapse of good taste, combined with an ignorant pride, the inextinguishable innocence of youth. It is this that is interesting. The children who go in for the shocking public display of their emotions do not think it indecent. They think it chic.

Air Heroes Who Gamble With Sleep

It would be difficult to acclaim too highly the feat of Mr. J. A. Mallon in flying to Capetown in less than five days, beating Miss Salaman's record by 15 hours 18 minutes. Everybody is thankful that his accident on landing, due to extreme exhaustion, was not more serious.

Yet regard for our heroic pilots should not blind us to the fact that our record Empire flights have developed into endurance tests in which the pilot's problem is "How long can I fly without crashing for want of sleep?"

The flights are magnificent personal adventures. But flying is no job for a fatigue-drugged man. Once I made four dawn flights after less than three hours' sleep in each case. On the fourth morning the ear-piercing exhaust roar was as a soothing lullaby. For an instant I closed my tired eyes. The plane flew straight and steady at two thousand feet.

Dazed Men.

Again I closed my eyes. Terrible vibration. The engine was screaming its heart out. I had fallen forward in my harness and was in a

(Continued on Page 9.)



"I simply hate baby talk, but it's the only way I can make him listen to reason."

SHANGHAI BOMB
OUTRAGEKOREAN CONFESSES
GUILT

Shanghai, Apr. 30. Arrested by the Japanese authorities yesterday, after the bomb outrage at Hongkew Park, a Korean named Ju Ho Kichi later admitted committing the outrage.

He stated that over a week ago he met another Korean named Lee, the supposed head of the Korean Independent Party, who offered him 100 yen to assassinate the Japanese officials in Hongkew Park on the morning of the birthday anniversary of the Emperor of Japan.

He alleged that Lee supplied him with two bombs.

As a result of the confession, the other men arrested by the authorities in connection with the affair have been released.

An unexploded bomb has since been found under the platform on which the Japanese officials were standing.—Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. Mura's Message.

Shanghai, May 1. Eleven Koreans, alleged to have been engaged in anti-Japanese activities and involved in the Hongkew Park outrage, have been arrested and handed over to the Japanese authorities. Further arrests are expected, and it is reported that incriminating documents have been seized.

The distinguished invalids are progressing satisfactorily.

Mr. Mura, the Japanese Consul-General in Shanghai, made a statement to the Japanese community from his bedside, when he said "I ardently hope all Japanese residents will be extremely prudent and will not be rashly agitated into any indiscreet deeds."

Mrs. Shigemitsu, wife of the Japanese Minister to China, who is also among the injured, is on her way to Shanghai from Kobe.—Reuter.

Nanking's Sympathy.

Nanking, Apr. 30. Mr. Low Wen-tan, Foreign Minister, has telegraphed Mr. Shigemitsu expressing his sympathy. It has been authoritatively learned here that Wang Ching-wei and the Chinese Government will send similar telegrams this afternoon.

Mr. Shigemitsu's Popularity.

Shanghai, May 1. The great personal popularity of Mr. Shigemitsu, who is progressing satisfactorily, has been evidenced by the flood of telegrams of sympathy pouring in to him. He has already received nearly 500 from all parts of the world including the Japanese Imperial House, Japanese Cabinet, Geneva, the capitals of Europe, America and members of the Lytton Commission.

To-day Chinese officials called on the Japanese Consulate to express the sympathy of Mr. Wang Ching-wei with Mr. Shigemitsu.—Reuter's Special.

LESSON SERMON.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST,
SCIENTIST, HONGKONG

"Everlasting Punishment" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, yesterday.

The Golden Text was—"Brethren, if a man be overtaken in a fault, ye which are spiritual, restore such an one in the spirit of meekness." (Gal. 6:1.)

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible—"A certain man had two sons. And the younger of them said to his father, Father, give me the portion of goods that falleth to me. And he divided unto them his living. And not many days after the younger son gathered all together, and took his journey into a far country, and there wasted his substance with riotous living. And when he came to himself, he said, How many hired servants of my father's have bread enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger! I will arise and go to my father, and will say unto him, Father, I have sinned against heaven, and before thee." (Luke 15:11-13, 17, 18.)

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy—"Fear of punishment never made man truly honest. Moral courage is requisite to meet the wrong and to proclaim the right. But how shall we reform the man who has more animal than moral courage, and who has not the true idea of good? Through human consciousness, convince the mortal of his mistake in seeking material means for gaining happiness. Reason is the most active human faculty. Let that inform the sentiments and awaken the man's latent sense of moral obligation, and by degrees he will learn the nothingness of the pleasures of human sense and the grandeur and bliss of a spiritual sense, which silences the material or corporeal." (p. 327.)

VERDICT GIVEN IN
HONOLULU TRIAL.ALL ACCUSED GUILTY OF
MANSLAUGHTER

Honolulu, Apr. 30. The trial of Mrs. Fortescue, New York Society woman, Lieut. Massie of the United States Navy, and her son-in-law, and two American seamen, all charged with murdering Kahahawai, a Hawaiian native, who, it is alleged, criminally assaulted Mrs. Massie, resulted in a verdict against all the defendants of guilty of manslaughter, but the jury recommended them for mercy.

Mrs. Massie sobbed loudly upon hearing the verdict.

As Public Prosecutor Kelly left the court, the defendant named Lord, one of the seamen charged, shook hands with him and smilingly said "I have no ill-feelings."

Lieut. Massie was too upset to reply when Kelly took his hand saying "I have nothing against you, nor your wife." Mrs. Massie cried "No you haven't" and burst into tears.

Mrs. Fortescue turned white but gave no signs of tears.

Mr. Dudley Field Malone, a New York lawyer, upon hearing the verdict, telegraphed to President Hoover asking that the defendants, and Mrs. Massie be placed on board a warship and taken to the mainland "where they will get a fair trial."

The manslaughter verdict carries a sentence of one to ten years' imprisonment with hard labour.

The judge will consider the passing of sentence until May 6.—Reuter.

Jury Boycotted.

Honolulu, May 1. The latest development in the "honour slaying" drama is the formation of a group of local women organised to boycott all establishments where members of the jury are employed.

Only white people were invited to the meeting at which it was decided to institute the boycott.

Meanwhile the city is strewn with flowers for the celebration of May Day. The scent of the flowers is everywhere, the natives squatting in the streets surrounded by flowers. But the peacefulness is regarded as the "calm before the storm."

Cars, mounted with machine-guns, are patrolling the city, whilst guns are stacked in the National Guard armoury ready for immediate use.—Reuter's American Service.

CONSTABLE DIES

JEWALA SINGH SUCCEUMS
TO BULLET WOUNDS

Police Constable Jewala Singh died at the Kowloon Hospital yesterday, victim of the shooting affray which occurred at Sham-shingpo early in April.

Early on the morning of the 5th of last month, Jewala Singh, who was attached to the local district station, was on patrol duty, when he had occasion to stop a Chinese in Boundary Road with the view to a search. As he stooped to run his hands over the man's clothing, the suspect snatched the constable's revolver from his holster, and pulled the trigger twice. One of the bullets perforated his intestines. The other fractured his thigh bone.

After the attack, the assailant escaped, taking the revolver with him.

The constable was in a serious condition when admitted to hospital, and succumbed yesterday in spite of all medical care.

The funeral of Jewala Singh has been arranged for to-day. The remains will be taken over by launch from Kowloon to Hongkong and will be landed at the wharf just East of the new Police Station, Wanchai.

The funeral will be accorded full Police honours and will pass the Monument at 2.45 p.m.

SPANISH CATHOLICS
AND A MAYORFORCED TO CARRY IMAGE
THROUGH STREETS

Madrid, Apr. 30. There are daily reports of disturbances resulting from interference with traditional Roman Catholic processions in Spain. Yesterday, in the province of Toledo, the Catholics had planned to carry an image of the Virgin Mary to a chapel outside the town, but the Mayor would not give his permission.

Thereupon a crowd of the faithful forced their way into the Town Hall, and not only obliged the Mayor to sign the necessary permit for the procession, but forced him to help to carry the Virgin through the streets.

Socialists attacked the clerical meeting place in the province of Albacete yesterday. Among the wounded resulting from the clash was a priest. Evidently fearing disturbances, several big clerical meetings were suspended to-day.

UMBRELLAS
DOWN THE AGESHELEN'S PARASOL IN
TROJAN COLOURS

Paris, Apr. 3. A retrospective exhibition of umbrellas and walking-sticks was the principal feature of the annual soiree of the Syndicate of Umbrella Merchants given here last night.

A procession of distinguished people of all ages represent the umbrella's evolution from the pink and white sunshade of Salimanager III, King of Assyria, the original inventor, down to the latest product of the Rue de la Paix.

Among the earlier models, Helen of Troy's octagonal parasol, painted in the Trojan colours, and a vast embroidered umbrella sheltering the majestic person of Charlemagne were much admired.

Henry III. and Henrietta of England carried attractive but serviceable articles richly carved and ornamented, while the Empress Eugenie and her Court formed a delightful group with their ridiculous toy parasols.

Canes and walking sticks followed, recalling many historical scenes. There was the cane which Louis XV. threw out of the window of the Tuileries one day when he was exasperated by the chaff of the Duc de Lauzun "for fear" as the incensed monarch cried: "Lest I strike a gentleman."

There were the ivory sticks awarded by the Roman Senators, the swordsticks popular in the eighteenth century, the Swiss cane with its silver pommel, the long, tapering staff flourished by the drum sergeant-major, and many others, whose epoch and utility it would be equally difficult to guess.

POLICE RESERVE

ORDERS FOR CURRENT WEEK

Orders by the Hon. Mr. T. H. King, Inspector General of Police state:

Chinese Company

Training Course—Part 11.—All recruits will attend at the Chinese Company's Headquarters on Tuesday, May 3rd, at 5.30 p.m. for instruction.

Inspection Parade.—All ranks of the Chinese Company will parade at Central Police Station on Wednesday, May 4th, for a general inspection of equipment etc. by the Chinese Commandant.

Under Sub-Inspector J. C. S. Fender Dress—White Uniform, Cap with White Cover, Belt, Truncheon, Whistle, Armband and Badge, "Pocket Policeman" and note-book to be carried. Those not in possession of uniform will attend in uniform on Tuesday, May 3rd, at 5.30 p.m. without leave from the Company Commandant. The Equipment Officer will make it a point of being present. Recruits will attend.

Training Course—Part 1.—All recruits of the Chinese Company will attend Central Police Station for Squad Drill on Thursday, May 5th, at 5.30 p.m.

N. C. O. Class.—All N. C. O.s will attend the Chinese Company's Headquarters on Friday, May 6th, at 4.00 p.m. for examination under Mr. Paterson, P. P. T. S.

Indian Company

Training Course—Part 11.—All members who have not passed Part 11 of Training Course should attend at the Chinese Company's Headquarters, 17, Queen's Road Central on Thursday, May 5th, 5.30 p.m.

Flying Squad

Special duties will be carried out by members of the Flying Squad on Tuesday and Monday, May 3rd, and 4th. Members will fall in at Central Police Station at 5.15 p.m. on both days. Dress—Khaki Uniform and Cap with Khaki Cover.

Reserve Emergency Unit

Defence Class.—In view of the Stand-By Orders issued, all Defence Class will be held this week.

Motor Patrol.—A motor patrol will be carried out on Friday, May 6th, by N. C. O.s, and Squad Leaders only. They will assemble outside Queen's Pier at 5.15 p.m. Uniform optional. (Sgd.) D. L. KING, D.S.P. (R).

SWEDEN'S SORROW

DOWNFALL OF FINANCIAL
IDOL

"Kreuger has been exposed as an adventurer of enormous proportions; perhaps without parallel in all economic history," writes the Swedish Government organ, Svenska Morgnbladet, summing up the indignation and sorrow of the nation at the overthrow of its financial idol.

The report of the accountants caused a tremendous impression in Berlin banking circles, states Reuter, though it only confirms rumours in circulation on the Bourse.

Messrs. Lee, Higginson and Co., of New York, the original underwriters of Kreuger and Toll, state that irregularities must have been "concealed only by the most flagrant misrepresentations, made not only in written statements and information furnished by Mr. Kreuger to the fiscal agents of the United States, but also in the report of the company."

TRUCE AGREEMENT

TO REMAIN UNAFFECTED
BY BOMB INCIDENT

Tokyo, Apr. 30.

The Hongkew bombing is not expected to affect the Sino-Japanese relations. No protest is contemplated, it is stated authoritatively here, as the scene of the outrage is under temporary Japanese military occupation and the bomb thrower is a Japanese subject.

The vernacular papers here are deeply shocked, but regret the inevitable delay in signing the truce agreement which is the upmost feature of their comment which is restrained in tone as the motive for the outrage is not yet clear.—Reuter.

Bombing Incident Distinct.

Tokyo, Apr. 30.

Following a conference, the Ministers of Foreign Affairs, War and Navy reported to the Japanese Emperor, and decided to treat the Truce Agreement and the Hongkew bombing as two entirely unrelated matters and to make no change in their attitude to the truce negotiations but to endeavour to accelerate the conclusion of the agreement.—Reuter.

Hope Remains.

Although a temporary postponement in signing the truce agreement in Shanghai is inevitable, Government circles here are hopeful that they will be able to arrange the signature with a minimum of delay. Despite his severe injuries, it is revealed that Mr. Shigemitsu dictated a number of despatches to the Government describing the incident and regretting his own inability to continue the negotiations at present but stressing the importance of concluding the truce agreement as soon as possible.—Reuter.

Signing This Week?

Shanghai, May 1. Although no date has yet been fixed for the signing of the truce agreement, it is confidently expected that it will be concluded during the course of the coming week.

It is believed that either Mr. Mura, who is rapidly improving, or Mr. Moriya, Japanese First Secretary, will sign on behalf of Mr. Shigemitsu.—Reuter.

An Encouraging Geneva Report.

Geneva, Apr. 30.

With Japan abstaining from voting, the League Assembly passed a resolution, on which the finishing touches embodying Sir Miles Lampson's formula had been put during the past few days.

After opening the meeting, M. Paul Hymans, of Belgium, read the Committee of 19's report, which reviews the progress made since the last meeting of the Assembly.

He expressed feelings of reprobation at the Hongkew Park outrage and wished a speedy recovery to the victims.

Mr. Nagaoka replied suitably.

Japan Ready To Sign.

Before the adoption of the resolution, Dr. Yen declared that the League's efforts to secure a settlement had always been opposed by Japan and added that it would be lamentable if the aggressive party were allowed to enjoy its ill-gotten advantages.

He said that Japan had continually blocked the progress of the Shanghai Armistice negotiations even after important Chinese concessions had been made, and appealed to the Committee to energetically insist on the prompt enforcement of the resolution.

The Japanese Government was ready to sign the Agreement at the Plenary Meeting at Shanghai on May 2.

Mutual Congratulations.

Mr. Nagaoka expressed keen gratitude to the representatives of England, America, France and Italy, whose good offices had inestimably contributed to the elaboration of the agreement.

He said that the Japanese delegation was not in a position to comment on the Assembly's resolution. He repeated the Japanese attitude of reserve in regard to the applicability of Article XV. of the League Covenant, but assured the gathering that this attitude would in nowise alter the firm determination to do the utmost in order that the present negotiations at Shanghai be successfully concluded with the least possible delay.

The meeting concluded with mutual congratulations. Mr. Hymans thanking the member of the committee for their painstaking and conscientious labours, and Sir John Simon felicitating M. Hymans for his patience and skill to which the happy termination of the present phase was largely due.—Reuter.

Nanking Discusses Formula.

Nanking, Apr. 30.

The Legislative Yuan to-day discussed Sir Miles Lampson's formula. A good deal of resentment was expressed by several members and the Yuan requested the Foreign Ministry to reject the formula. However, this is not expected to affect China's acceptance of it as the final decision is with the National Government.—Reuter.

RADIO
BROADCASTREPLAY OF "DELICIOUS"
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5-7 p.m. Chinese Programme.

7-11.30 p.m. (Approx.) European Programme.

7-9.30 p.m. A Programme of Victor and H.M.V. Records.

7 p.m. Stock Quotations. Mail Notice, etc.

7.03-7.18 p.m.

Suite Française (Foulds)
The Band of H. M. Coldstream Guards. B2751/B2752.

7.18-8 p.m. A Concert.

Violin Solo-Rarullia Hungarica
Molto Vivace (Dohnanyi)
Violin Solo-Rarullia Hungarica
Presto (Dohnanyi) Fritz Kreisler. 1428.

Song-The Cuckoo (Lehmann)
Song-Little Brown Owl (Sunderland)
Mavis Bennett (Soprano). B2100.

Violin and Pianoforte Duo-Sonata
No. 1 (Debussy) May Harrison and Arnold. C1749/C1750.

Song-Chorus, Gentlemen (Lohr)
Song-Off to Philadelphia (Haynes)
Percy Heming (Baritone). B2509.

Piano Solo-Sonata in A Major
(Schubert)
Piano Solo-Ecossaise (Beethoven)
Mischa Levitzki. B2347.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.5-8.20 p.m. Hawaiian Music.

Hawaiian Waltz Medley.
Killing Waltz. Frank Severa and John K. Panlun (Guitars). B2369.

Pearl of Hawaii.
Love Dream of Lulu Lu. Frank Ferrera and John K. Panlun (Guitars). B2316.

8.20-8.45 p.m. Variety.

Humorous Song-Moscow.
Song-This is Heaven.

Song-Just Like a Butterfly.
Song-Gonna Get a Girl. Melville Gilden (Baritone). B2577.

Orchestra-The Singing Fool-Selection.
De Groot and His Orchestra. B2994.

Humorous Song-Does my Sweetie Care for Me? Leslie Sarony. B2351.

8.45-9.30 p.m.

Selections by the Hollywood Bowl Orchestra.

The Sleeping Beauty-Ballet Suite
(Tchaikowsky). B271/0872.

Carneval Overture (Dvorak). B2608.

Islemy (Tone Picture) (Balakirev). B2670.

The Fire Dance (de Falla).
Fantastic Symphony-March to the Scaffold (Berlioz). B2609.

9.30-11.30 p.m. (Approx.)

Relay of "Delicious" from the King's Theatre by courtesy of the Management.

11.30 p.m. (Approx.) Rugby Mid-day Press News.

11.35 p.m. Close Down.

All records in the above Europe Programmes are kindly supplied by Messrs. S. Moutrie and Co.

SCHOOL CONCERT.

A BIG AUDIENCE AT
KING'S COLLEGE

Success attended the second annual concert held by the students of King's College on Saturday evening in the Great Hall, which was taxed to its capacity by the large audience. Another performance was given last night, with the addition of a Chinese comedy entitled "The Fool Assistants," which was written and directed by Cheung Chun-cheung.

The programme, which covered 14 items, opened with a bright overture by a Chinese orchestra composed of Ip Tai-hing, Li Hing-lan, Li Chiu-ying and Chan Chok-ho. This was followed by Mr. Ng Yi-cheong's rendering of Malay songs.

An English Pantomime (Mrs. Jarley's waxwork) taken from "Old Curiosity Shop" and produced by the students of Class 4A, under the able direction of Miss M. D. Birt, was well received, the two wax model boxers giving rise to much laughter.

An English play, "The Invisible Duke," a modern burlesque melodrama, had its settings in an astrologer's laboratory. Yee King-keung, as one of the clowns, played his part well, supported by Wong Yui-sheung, Chick Sui-cho, Lam On-ping, Chung Hon-ki and Li Hon-chit, all of whom added much to the entertainment value of the play.

Lo Hung-hing, the head prefect of the school, was deservedly applauded for his violin solo, and Henry Yung's rendering of a selected English song was equally successful.

The programme was brought to a close with a harmonica duet by Kwok Ling-kwong, and Wong Ting-siu, this item proving to be one of the most popular of the evening.

May Day passed off quietly in Shanghai, and at Nanking, Labour strict police surveillance.—Reuter.

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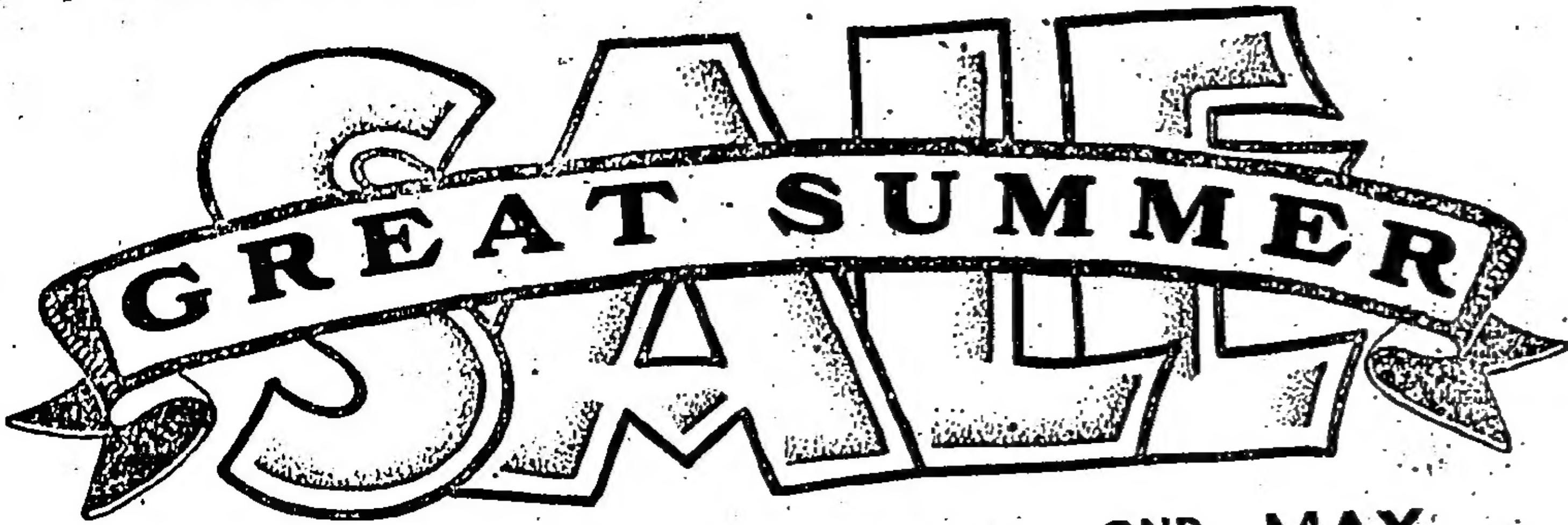
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Day also passed quietly with a complete absence of demonstrations. Not even flags were visible.

Tokyo, May 1.

Except for a few minor scuffles, resulting in about 800 arrests and half a dozen being injured, May Day passed off quietly amid the customary demonstration under strict police surveillance.—Reuter.

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SHANGHAI RACES

DALLAS RIDES THREE WINNERS

The Shanghai Jockey Club's Spring meeting opened on Saturday in fine weather and before a large attendance. There were 12 races on the card and big fields in each event. Dallas piloted three winners home, carrying off the riding honours. Pote Hunt and McBain rode two winners each.

The following results are published by courtesy of the Hongkong Club:

Chinwangtao Cup.

Jupiter (Harris) 1.
Heaven Dragon (Wills-Henderson) 2.
Thistle-down (Lestner) 3.

Time, 2.45.

Nanking Cup.

Whitoplains (Pote Hunt) 1.
Hurricane Eve (Needa) 2.
Bendochy (Strijoki) 3.

Time, 1.34.

Hongkong Plate.

Hurry On (Dallas) 1.
Royal Bee (House) 2.
Glenapp (Needa) 3.

Time, 1.50.

The Griffin Plate.

Amban (Dallas) 1.
Black Velvet (Encarnano) 2.
Lucebay (Clark) 3.

Time, 1.32.

Tongshan Cup.

Ardah (Parkin) 1.
Arfano (McBain) 2.
Fuchs (Riber) 3.

Time, 1.36.

Lint Cup.

Zeta (McBain) 1.
Greystone (Parkin) 2.
Salvage (Marshall) 3.

Time, 3.3.

Chinese Cup and Criterion Stakes.
Alligator (Pote Hunt) 1.
Schoolboy (Mailland) 2.
The Dour Bird (McBain) 3.

Mister Cinders (Rotha) 1.
Deaf heat.
Times, 2.5.

Pou Ma Ting Cup.

Castle Ribon (McBain) 1.
Icy Morn (Sokloff) 2.
Twelve Bore (Dallas) 3.

Time, 2.7.

Kiangsu Cup.

Bonnie Lad (Encarnano) 1.
Busybee (Noodt) 2.
Whetcroft (Pote Hunt) 3.

Time, 2.55.

Eclipse Stakes.

Opera Eve (Noodt) 1.
Glenquich (Dallas) 2.
Pharlap (W. H. S. Davis) 3.

Time, 2.43.

Tsingtao Cup.

Greatlift (Marshall) 1.
Comradeship (H. Collaco) 2.
Sunjoy (Wade) 3.

Time, 1.49.

Wei Hai Wei Cup.

Glenfarg (Dallas) 1.
Kentucky (House) 2.
Highland Prince (Encarnano) 3.

Time, 2.23.

HOME FOOTBALL

EVERTON WIN LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP

EVERTON'S win over the Wanderers on Saturday gave them the League Championship, and they are the second team to have won the championships of the First and Second Divisions in successive years. The Arsenal played four reserves against Middlesbrough, but are now virtually certain to finish second. Leeds United and Wolverhampton are sure of returning to the First Division.

Bourton, the Coventry City centre-forward, heads the season's league goal scorers with a total of 49, which breaks the existing record for the Third (Southern) Division. Our Own Correspondent.

The whole of the results, with the exception of the Scottish Second Division, were enabled by Reuter.

FIRST DIVISION.

Arsenal	5	Middlesbrough	0
Birmingham	4	Chelsea	0
Blackburn	2	Aston Villa	0
Blackpool	2	Huddersfield	0
Derby	1	Liverpool	2
Everton	1	Bolton	0
Manchester C.	1	Wednesday	1
Portsmouth	0	Leicester	3
Sheffield U.	0	Newcastle	1
Sunderland	2	West Ham	0
West Brom.	5	Grimaby	6

SECOND DIVISION.

Barnsley	1	Charlton	4
Bradford C.	0	Preston N.E.	1
Bristol C.	2	Manchester U.	1
Bury	2	Notts Forest	0
Leeds	1	Southampton	0
Millwall	2	Bury	1
Notts County	3	Wolves	1
Oldham	1	Tottenham	2
Plymouth	4	Bradford	1
Port Vale	2	Chesterfield	1
Swansea	1	Stoke	1

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH).

Brentford	4	Bournemouth	2
Cardiff	0	Norwich	0
Coventry	5	Watford	1
Exeter	0	Crystal Pal.	1
Fulham	3	Bristol R.	0
Gillingham	2	Mansfield	0
Grimsby	3	Brighton	2
Leamington	4	Swindon	1
Reading	5	Clapton O.	0
Southend	4	Torquay	2
Thames	3	Queen's P. R.	2

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH).

Barrow	4	Stockport	2
Chester	4	Carlisle	1
Darlington	2	Doncaster	3
Gateshead	0	Tranmere	0
Hull	0	Southport	0
Hartlepool	0	Crewe	0
Hull	3	Accrington	0
Lincoln	0	Wrexham	1
New Brighton	3	Rotherham	1
Walsall	0	York	1

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

(First)

Kilmarnock	2	Rangers	4
Motherwell	3	Clyde	0
Partick	0	Celtic	2

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

(Second)

Edinburgh	4	Dunfermline	1
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INDIAN CRICKET

TOURISTS.

LAL SINGH TOP SCORER

IN TWO INNINGS

London Apr. 30.

The All-India XI commenced their England tour yesterday with a match at Pelsham against Mr. Scott's XI.

When the game was resumed today, Mr. Scott's XI were dismissed for 157 runs. Gulam Mohamed was in great form with the ball, and claimed six wickets for 42 runs.

Lal Singh was again top-scorer for the tourists, the second innings realising 104 runs for nine wickets when a declaration was made. He scored 47.

This left Mr. Scott's XI very little time to make the required runs for victory. They made an attempt to do so, and when stumps were drawn had lost five wickets for 62 runs.

The match was therefore left drawn. —Reuter.

THE DAVIS CUP.

AMERICA BEATS CANADA BY FIVE MATCHES

Washington, Apr. 29.

The United States eliminated Canada from the Davis Cup competition to-day, winning the doubles match in three straight sets with the greatest of ease.

The United States were represented by W. Allison and J. Van Ryn, Canada by Rainville and Wright.

The Americans won 6-2, 6-1, 6-2. —Reuter.

AMERICAN BASEBALL.

"BABE" RUTH HITS SIXTH HOME RUN

New York, May 1.

The last series of matches, which saw "Babe" Ruth hitting his sixth home run of the season, resulted as follows:

National League.

Philadelphia	8	Brooklyn	7
Boston	7	New York	3
Chicago	5	St. Louis	3

American League.

New York	6	Boston	3
Cleveland	10	Chicago	7
Washington	2	Philadelphia	1
St. Louis	3	Detroit	4

—Reuter.

MARATHON RECORD.

SMASHED BY JAPANESE AT TOKYO

Tokyo, Apr. 30.

Two runners smashed the existing international Marathon record at an athletic meeting here this afternoon which served as an Olympic Games try-out.

Running on a paved surface, Panji Yohagi accomplished the distance in 2 hours, 31 mins. 31 secs., while Seiji Takahashi was 55 seconds behind him. —Reuter.

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GOOD SPORT AT RACES

GLEANEAGLES TO THE FORE

There was excellent sport at the Extra Race Meeting on Saturday, of which an outstanding feature was the fine running of Gleanegles in the Aggregate Stakes, thanks to the jockeyship of Frost, who, however, did not have a very good day. Mr. G. U. da Rosa headed the list of riders with two wins, two seconds and a third. Blue Plane, in winning the Mount Gough Handicap, "E" Class, paid backers over \$166. Results:

1.—Mount Parker Handicap.—Winner \$600. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies, "A" Class. One and a Quarter Miles.

A. M. L. Soares's Sadko 155 lb 1
Dynasty's Hetman 165 lb 2
L. T. F.'s Gold Key 143 lb 3
(Mr. G. U. da Rosa)
(Mr. S. N. Pan)

Time: 2 mins. 31.1/5 secs.
Won by 5 lengths; a length.
Parl-mutuel:—Winner \$12.10;
Places, 1st \$5.50; 2nd \$5.30.

2.—Mount Davies Stakes.—Winner \$500. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China Ponies, Griffins of this Season. Winners barred. Weight 145 lb 2 lb penalty for every \$200 or part thereof won in stakes. To be ridden by jockeys who have not won ten races anywhere at any time. Jockeys, 2 lb penalty for each race won: maximum penalty 10 lb. No Whips or Spurs allowed. One Mile.

Rustic's Kate 155 lb 1
Samson's Alexandra Hall 150 lb 2
L. T. F.'s Gold Ring 151 lb 3
(Mr. Y. T. Fung)
(Mr. A. A. R. Botelho)
(Mr. Chanson)

Time: 2 mins. 08 secs.
Won by 2 lengths; 3 lengths.
Parl-mutuel:—Winner \$11; Places, 1st \$5.60; 2nd \$5.30; 3rd \$7.70.

3.—Tal-Mo-Shan Handicap: First Division.—Winner \$450. Second \$225. Third \$125. For China Ponies, "D" Class. Six Furlongs.
Mrs. Dunbar's Sivash 155 lb 1
Li & Li's Little 140 lb 2
Lo & Liang's Pure Music 147 lb 3
(Mr. F. M. L. Soares)
(Mr. Ip Kui-ying)
(Mr. G. U. da Rosa)

Time: 1 min. 32.1/5 secs.
Won by 3 lengths; 3 lengths.
Parl-mutuel:—Winner \$56.20;
Places, 1st \$18.00; 2nd \$15.30; 3rd \$27.70.

Fourteen Starters.
A.—Tal-Mo-Shan Handicap: Second Division.—Winner \$450. Second \$225. Third \$125. For China Ponies, "D" Class. Six Furlongs.
Samson's Cebu 161 lb 1
L. T. F.'s Gold Bar 142 lb 2
Peter Young's Buchanan 140 lb 3
(Mr. S. N. Pan)
(Mr. Ip Kui-ying)
(Mr. Butler)

Time: 1 min. 32.2/5 secs.
Won by a neck; 1/2 length.
Parl-mutuel:—Winner \$19.80;
Places, 1st \$7.60; 2nd \$10.20; 3rd \$11.40 (Until Then). \$7.10 (Buchanan).

Fourteen Starters.
5.—Charters Towers Handicap.—Winner \$500. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Australian Ponies. From the Two Mile Post Once Round and In (About One Mile 171 Yards). Evening Star later disqualified for crossing.
Official Result:
L. T. F.'s Kileen 160 lb 1
Kwong Sai's Wotin 165 lb 2
Harriman & Li's Wild Digger 130 lb 3
(Mr. S. N. Pan)
(Mr. Butler)
(Mr. Butler)

Time: 2 mins. 06.1/5 secs.
Won by 1/2 length; 4 lengths.
Parl-mutuel:—Winner \$26.80;
Places, 1st \$6.80; 2nd \$6.80; 3rd \$6.40 (Until Then). \$7.10 (Buchanan).

Nine starters.
6.—Third Aggregate Stakes.—Value \$750. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies. One Mile.
L. Dunbar's Gleanegles 153 lb 1
Dynasty's King's Bounty 148 lb 2
L. Reldy's Bag & Baggage 150 lb 3
(Mr. G. U. da Rosa)
(Mr. Butler)
(Dr. Reldy)

Time: 1 min. 59.2/5 secs.
Won by 3 lengths; the same.
Parl-mutuel:—Winner \$6.40; Places, 1st \$5.10; 2nd \$5.10; 3rd \$5.10.

Six starters.
7.—Mount Parker Handicap.—Winner \$500. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China Ponies, "C" Class. One and a Quarter Miles.
Harriman & Li's Panch 140 lb 1
Lowcock & Lee's Breeze 145 lb 2
Y. T. Fung's Indiana 153 lb 3
(Mr. Y. T. Fung)
(Mr. S. N. Pan)
(Mr. Y. T. Fung)

Time: 2 mins. 30.3/5 secs.
Won by 1/2 length; short head.
Parl-mutuel:—Winner \$19.80;
Places, 1st \$7.60; 2nd \$10.20; 3rd \$11.40 (Until Then). \$7.10 (Buchanan).

Seventeen starters.
8.—"The Hunchbacks" Plate.—Winner \$400. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies. Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season. Winners barred. Weight 145 lb 2 lb penalty for every \$200 or part thereof won in stakes. Jockey Allowance. Seven Furlongs.
Prince's Lucky Prince 140 lb 1
Bain's The Rainstorm 140 lb 2
Samson's Valley Hall 153 lb 3
(Mr. F. M. L. Soares)
(Mr. Ip Kui-ying)
(Mr. F. M. L. Soares)

Time: 1 min. 51.3/5 secs.
Won by a length; the same.
Parl-mutuel:—Winner \$10.00;
Places, 1st \$5.20; 2nd \$10.50; 3rd \$7.70.

15.—Mount Gough Handicap.—Winner \$400. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies, "E" Class. Seven Furlongs.
Wong Lan-kam's Blue Plane 140 lb 1
Kangaroo's Kanpas 140 lb 2
(Mr. S. Y. Liang)
(Mr. S. Y. Liang)

Time: 1 min. 51.3/5 secs.
Won by a length; the same.
Parl-mutuel:—Winner \$10.00;
Places, 1st \$5.20; 2nd \$10.50; 3rd \$7.70.

16.—Mount Gough Handicap.—Winner \$400. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies, "E" Class. Seven Furlongs.
Wong Lan-kam's Blue Plane 140 lb 1
Kangaroo's Kanpas 140 lb 2
(Mr. S. Y. Liang)
(Mr. S. Y. Liang)

Time: 1 min. 51.3/5 secs.
Won by a length; the same.
Parl-mutuel:—Winner \$10.00;
Places, 1st \$5.20; 2nd \$10.50; 3rd \$7.70.

17.—Mount Gough Handicap.—Winner \$400. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies, "E" Class. Seven Furlongs.
Wong Lan-kam's Blue Plane 140 lb 1
Kangaroo's Kanpas 140 lb 2
(Mr. S. Y. Liang)
(Mr. S. Y. Liang)

Time: 1 min. 51.3/5 secs.
Won by a length; the same.
Parl-mutuel:—Winner \$10.00;
Places, 1st \$5.20; 2nd \$10.50; 3rd \$7.70.

18.—Mount Gough Handicap.—Winner \$400. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies, "E" Class. Seven Furlongs.
Wong Lan-kam's Blue Plane 140 lb 1
Kangaroo's Kanpas 140 lb 2
(Mr. S. Y. Liang)
(Mr. S. Y. Liang)

Time: 1 min. 51.3/5 secs.
Won by a length; the same.
Parl-mutuel:—Winner \$10.00;
Places, 1st \$5.20; 2nd \$10.50; 3rd \$7.70.

AIR HEROES WHO GAMBLE WITH SLEEP

(Continued from Page 6.)

power dive, with the nose of the machine headed straight for a wood that leaped up at a paralyzing speed. I thought the wings would drop off when I pulled out, but they held.

Intending to rest my eyes for a second, I had dropped, in slumber, well over a thousand feet. I wonder how many inexplicable crashes have been caused by a few seconds' sleep?

A full day's flying is tiring. Five, six, or seven days' flying, with a few snatched hours of comfortable rest, is dangerous agony. The temptation to sleep, and the difficulty of resisting it, must be experienced to be understood.

A dazed man can cruise along safely, but the tasks of landing, or of pulling off a forced landing, assume added dangers.

One factor that contributes to the amazing success of small lowered planes in capturing records that lie outside their province is the amazing efficiency of cheap English single, two, and three-seater aeroplanes.

But a machine used on an Empire flight should have two pilots, and be equipped for sending and receiving wireless messages. Our amphibian should stop only for swift refuelling. Otherwise it should fly incessantly night and day, the co-pilots refreshed in turn by a full amount of sleep.

If the engines can be attended to in flight, so much the better. Eventually they will be housed in the hull. Some of the earlier types of flying machines had a central engine from which aircrews on the wings were driven. Another objective is a hull that will stand the pounding of heavy seas in case of forced landing.

Rome, Apr. 30.
Italian swimmers are now learning the new under water sport of climbing and spending fish, which Japanese visitors to the island of Ischia in the Gulf of Naples, have introduced.—*Reuter*.

Heard's The Wind 155 lb 1
(Mr. Proulx)
(Mr. A. W. da Rosa)
Time: 1 min. 51.3/5 secs.
Won by a length; short head.
Parl-mutuel:—Winner \$166.70;
Places, 1st \$37.10; 2nd \$15; 3rd \$8.60.

Twelve starters.
10.—High West Handicap.—Winner \$550. Second \$275. Third \$175. For China Ponies, "B" Class. From the Two Mile Post Once Round and In (About One Mile 171 Yards).
Tully Ho's Valorous 162 lb 1
D. J. Lewis's Tontine 140 lb 2
Li & Li's Don 159 lb 3
(Mr. S. N. Pan)
(Mr. S. Y. Liang)
(Mr. Ip Kui-ying)

Time: 2 mins. 14.1/5 secs.
Won by 3 lengths; a neck.
Parl-mutuel:—Winner \$33.50;
Places, 1st \$10.30; 2nd \$12.30; 3rd \$7.40.

Ten starters.
CASH SWEEP RESULTS.

Race 1.
No. 2. \$1,146.60
" 51. 327.60
" 291. 163.80
Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 204, 53, 344, 420, 8, 369, 141, 170.

Race 2.
No. 377. \$1,073.20
" 98. 307.20
" 439. 153.60
Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 565, 472, 214, 214, 105, 167, 468, 324, 277, 417, 345.

Race 3.
No. 21. \$1,258.60
" 430. 359.60
" 76. 179.80
Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 565, 472, 214, 214, 105, 167, 468, 324, 277, 417, 345.

Race 4.
No. 653. \$1,486.60
" 624. 495.60
" 323. 106.40
" 246. 106.40
Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 655, 472, 214, 214, 105, 167, 468, 324, 277, 417, 345.

Race 5.
No. 440. \$1,694
" 564. 484
" 604. 242
Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 440, 499, 314, 241, 642, 70.

Race 6.
No. 136. \$3,603.60
" 174. 1,029.60
" 323. 514.80
Unplaced runners (\$100 each), Nos.: 230, 371, 310.

Race 7.
No. 681. \$1,890
" 301. 540
" 507. 270
Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 790, 742, 241, 650, 123, 818, 127, 085, 44, 30, 792, 602, 81, 708.

Race 8.
No. 562. \$1,814.40
" 22. 518.40
" 30. 269.20
Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 584, 472, 627, 528, 774, 105, 411, 614, 70, 699, 077, 784.

Race 9.
No. 162. \$2,003.40
" 67. 573.40
" 62. 289.20
Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 824, 438, 544, 182, 839, 607, 40, 761, 74.

Race 10.
No. 554. \$2,317
" 484. 662
" 824. 331
Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 682, 601, 620, 740, 828, 884, 714.

CINEMA SCREENINGS.

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

Janet Gaynor and Charles Farrell, most notable of screen lovers, are to be seen together again to-day in "Delicious," new Fox musical romance at the King's Theatre. The film features six George Gershwin melodies, denoting the first time that the famous American composer has written the entire musical score for a motion picture.

Unliko "Sunny Side Up" and "High Society Blues," initial musical success of the famous pair, "Delicious" presents a song number strictly as such. Each melody in the picture is skilfully woven into the body of the drama in such a way that the action of the story is never stopped.

Briefly, the plot of the drama revolves about the experiences of Janet Gaynor as a Scotch immigrant in America, and her adventures after she gets into the country illegally. Romance enters her life when she makes friends with a troupe of Russian entertainers on board the boat, and is made love to by Rouleau, a poet-musician, portrayed by Charles Farrell, handsome newcomer to the screen from the South American stage.

Charles Farrell, sportsman returning from European polo conquests, also make the acquaintance of the wistful little steersmaid and soon enters into active competition for her love.

El Brendel, as Farrell's valet, adds much to the gaiety of each situation by his incessant clowning. For a sweetie, he has Marna Robert, Viennese beauty who makes her screen debut. Other players in the large cast include Virginia Cherrill, Olive Tell, Lawrence O'Sullivan, Mischa Auer, Marine Mammel and Jeanette Gagne.

Janet's valet, who directed "Sunny Side Up," also directed "Delicious," which is from an original screen story by Guy Bolton.

Mind Reading Art at Queen's.

Anything savouring of mystery always intrigues the imagination, and there promises to be plenty of mystery in the act of Aleko and Panthea the two mysterious Egyptians who are appearing on Wednesday at the Queen's Theatre to prevent their thought reading and mental telepathy act. They do a good many things which naturally seem quite impossible, but they do it all to the satisfaction of the audiences. All who doubt this sort of thing are especially asked to attend the performance and judge for themselves whether thought transference is a fact or not.

"Kept Husbands."

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Miss Mackall was not referring to herself, however, but to the part she plays in her most dramatic entertaining talkie to date, "Kept Husbands," a Radio Pictures offering due on Wednesday at the Queen's Theatre.

"The newest rights of woman and one of the most popular, most frequently exercised, is that she may purchase—of a husband who is on the market because he is poor," she adds.

"The poor-man-rich-girl combination does not occur solely because poor men are the only ones in the market for rich girls. Other men are purchasable; but the rich girl prefers the right sort of poor man because, generally speaking, he is unspoiled.

"Things have changed in this respect, naturally. In past decades people talked about such marriages. Men who became 'kept husbands' lost self-respect. Proud men wouldn't make such matches. And finally poor men were not polished. Now the wealthy girl may find among their willing candidates, proud, of good family, intelligent, polished, college graduates, even, as in my picture, athletic heroes."

"Kept Husbands" an original story by Louis Sarecky, has an exceptionally strong supporting cast as well as a novel and punchy plot. Supporting Miss Mackall are Joel McCrea, Clara Kimball Young, Bryant Washburn, Mary Carr, Ned Sparks and half-a-dozen other favourites. Lloyd Bacon directed the picture.

"To-night or Never"

Long rehearsals, usually necessary before a talking picture goes into production, were dispensed with almost entirely in the case of "To-night or Never," the Samuel Goldwyn production for United Artists which is showing at the Central Theatre to-day.

This was possible only because most of the members of the cast, with the exception of Gloria Swanson, the star, had already played their roles in the New York staged production of this romantic comedy, which was the last production of the late David Belasco.

Melvyn Douglas, who plays opposite Miss Swanson, Ferdinand Gottschalk, Warburton Gamble, Robert Greig and Greta Meyer, now appearing in the picture version of "To-night or Never," a United Artists picture, all were selected by Belasco for the original production and were retained by Mr. Goldwyn.

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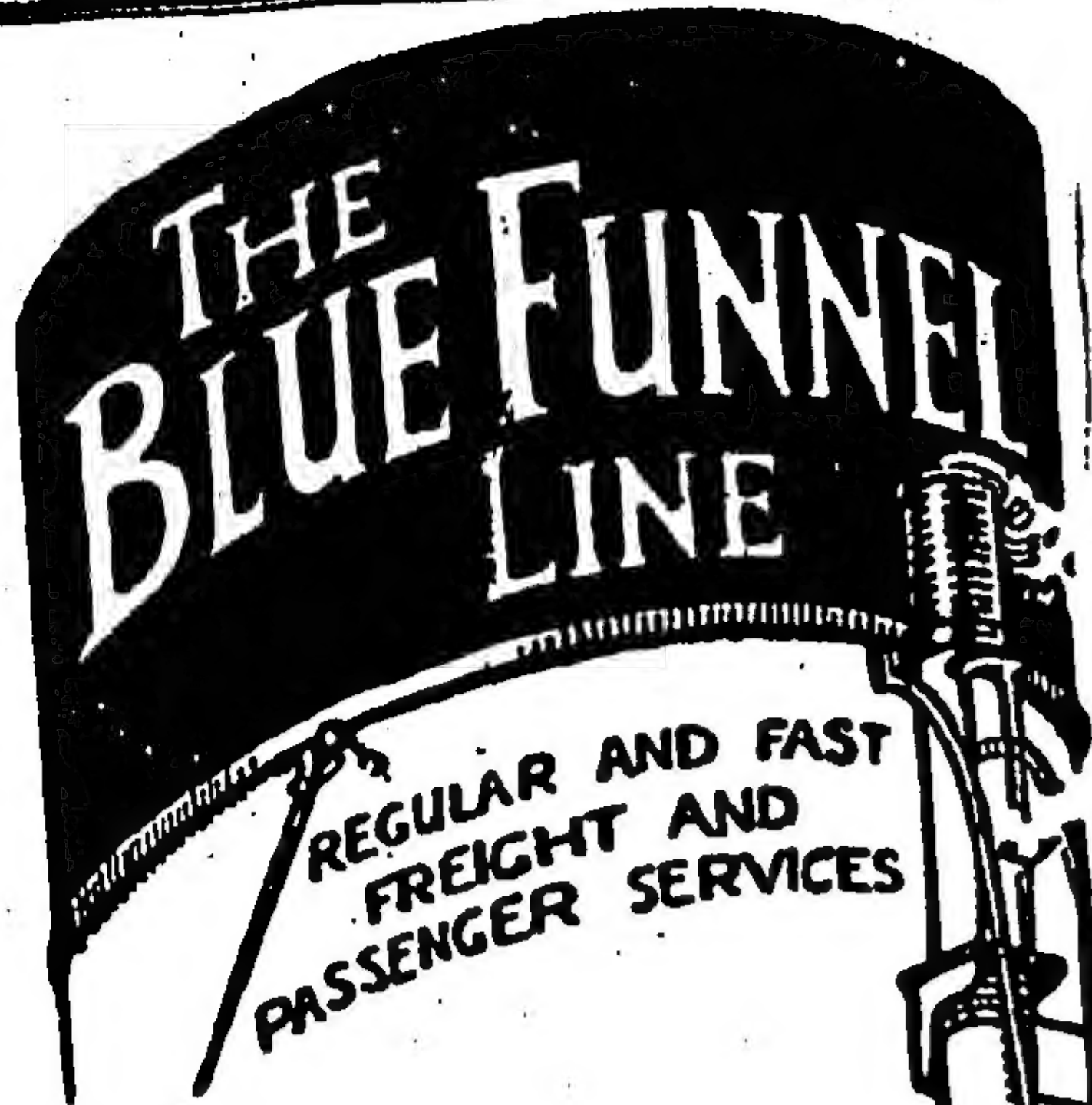
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SANITARY BOARD ELECTION.

DR. LI SHU-FAN STATES POLICY

Dr. Li Shu-fan, candidate for the Sanitary Board, has issued the following statement of his policy:—
My aim is to make Hongkong—a by that I include Kowloon and the New Territories—a healthier place to live in. I have as my watchword, "Healthy homes in a healthy colony."

Although situated just within the Tropics, Hongkong, I am convinced, can be made as free from disease and epidemics as any well-regulated city in the West. "Take tuberculosis, for instance. It is the disease amongst infectious diseases in Hongkong which is causing by far the most deaths, yet it is now definitely in check in England, and the figures there are showing a decline. It is my conviction that the same can be done for Hongkong."

I maintain that no person ought to be the victim of a preventable disease. If a disease can be prevented by the exercise of ordinary care and proper sanitary precautions, then it is the duty of the Health Authorities to instruct residents as to what constitutes ordinary care, and to provide the necessary sanitary precautions.

I am therefore wholeheartedly in favour of health propaganda conducted regularly and systematically, with the object of guiding the public in health matters, and especially of educating the lower classes in the rudiments of sanitary living in the hope of obtaining their co-operation. I would stress the necessity for this, as however stringent ordinances and by-laws may be, the officers to enforce them cannot be present everywhere. At any rate I am in favour of intelligent education rather than stringent regulation.

It is the co-operation of the masses that we need in order to abolish the wide-spread evil of spitting in public, to prevent the dumping of dead bodies, to prevail on the people to surrender the privilege of exemption from registration of deaths in the New Territories, to notify infectious diseases, and to submit to isolation with proper amenities.

My experience as a medical practitioner here and as Commissioner of Health in Canton, has given me an insight into the living conditions of the people, and it has taught me that they are not incorrigible.

It is primarily the poor and ignorant that we have to deal with, because no health measure is effective without their co-operation; because it is ultimately through them that it is determined whether epidemics will arise, and whether the better homes will have to bear the onslaught of infection. In short, the standard of health prevailing in the slum tenements will be the determining factor of the standard of health of the Colony.

Mosquitoes and flies are two pests which I believe more could be done to eliminate. There is child welfare. The Society for the Protection of Children and the new Government Welfare Centre in Wanchai are performing pioneer work, but there is ample scope for extending such activities.

My opinion has been sought in regard to the proposal—which I understand has been under the consideration of the Government for the past two years—for the creation of a Health Board in addition to the existing Sanitary Board, (but with its activities greatly curtailed) or in substitution for the Sanitary Board. I am not prepared to give a considered judgment without the necessary data, which alone would enable me to form an opinion as to the advantages and disadvantages of such a scheme. I venture to believe that my practical experience gained as Commissioner of Public Health in Canton may stand me in good stead in the consideration of this important problem. Whether the Health Board will materialise or not, I am of the opinion that closer liaison ought to exist between the medical and the sanitary authorities who have, after all, the same end in view, namely, the good health of the Colony.

A question has been put to me by a representative of a local paper as to what I had achieved while performing the duties of Commissioner of Public Health in Canton. I was responsible for the following health and other measures:

- (1) Segregation of lepers.
- (2) Registration of Births and Deaths.
- (3) Registration of Midwives.
- (4) Registration of Doctors and Chemists.
- (5) Improvement of scavenging and conservancy services.
- (6) The organisation of the Bacteriological, Chemical, and Analytical Departments.
- (7) Introduction of quarantine measures.

I do not wish to take special credit for these measures, as I happened to be the first Commissioner of Public Health in Canton, and the lot naturally fell on me to introduce them.

Finally, I should like to say that the special problems of Kowloon have my sympathy. The residents of Kowloon and the New Territories will find me ready to listen to any representations that they may bring forward, and to join them in tackling any problem which might be peculiar to their districts. As a medical man, I make no distinction as regards physical boundaries; I have patients on both sides of the harbour. When the late Dr. Sun Yat-sen asked me in 1911 to undertake health work for a period of two years in Canton, I did not hesitate, although I was primarily a Hongkong man, born and bred here, with all my interest here. When it is a call to fight suffering and disease my duty is clear.

TRAGEDY AT NICE.

DEATH OF FORMER WAR UNDER-SECRETARY

Nice, May 1.
An election tragedy occurred today when the former Under-Secretary for War, Signor Ossola, who was hurrying to an election meeting in a motor-car, crashed over a precipice and fell 150 feet below the road.
Signor Ossola was killed instantly, whilst two ladies who were with him were injured.
Reuter.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Sanitary Board Election

[To the Editor, Hongkong Telegraph.]

Sir,—In his letter which appeared in your issue of this morning, Mr. M. K. Lo takes up the cudgels on behalf of my opponent. With one part of his letter I am in full accord, namely that the public will be the final judge as to which candidate it prefers, and with their decision I, at least, shall be content.

Mr. Lo's letter is frankly an *ex parte* statement. With the imputation which he makes on the public spiritedness of the Kowloon Residents' Association, I am not concerned to deal. The record of public service rendered by the Association is so well known that Mr. Lo's attempt to extract from their statement and mine a meaning which they will certainly not bear to the electorate generally will hardly benefit his cause.

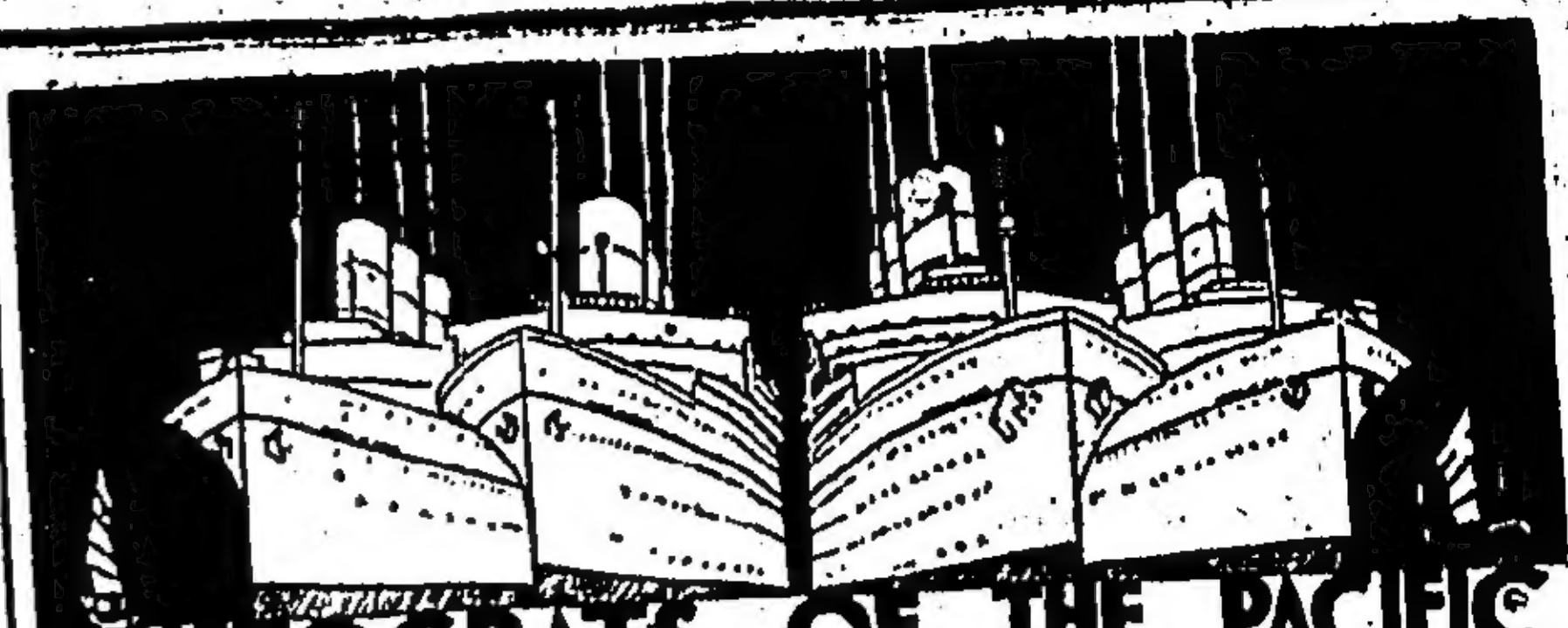
I wish however, to reply to his charge that I am standing primarily in the interests of a section of the community only and that the interests of the Colony as a whole will come second. With this supposed attitude of mine he cleverly contrasts Dr. Li's pledge to serve the interests of the Colony as a whole.

Had Mr. Lo wished to make a fair comparison he might also have quoted my own statement in my letter of April 19. "I pledge myself, if elected, to speak candidly, fairly and fearlessly on all matters concerning the welfare of the Colony and of Kowloon in particular."

It is undoubtedly the constitutional duty and privilege of the two elected members of the Sanitary Board to represent the interests of the Colony as a whole, but I submit that it is neither unconstitutional nor undesirable for one or both of them to give special attention to the needs and problems of a particular district of the Colony, especially when that district is of such increasing size and importance as Kowloon, which at present comprises nearly 43% of the total population. True, I have had the honour of being nominated by the Kowloon Residents' Association and I shall unequivocally adhere to my purpose to pay particular attention to Kowloon matters, but I maintain that the interests of Kowloon are so bound up with the general welfare of the Colony, especially as regards health problems, that it is impossible to imagine any situation where there would be a conflict of interests.

All matters concerning the public health must be considered from the point of view of the Colony in general, and without regard to the private interests of any particular section of the community whatsoever. That I fully endorse this policy is indicated in the views which I have already publicly expressed concerning certain health problems of the Colony, and I am prepared at any time to state frankly and unhesitatingly my attitude towards all such questions as may be of public interest.

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THE DIME-A-DANCE GIRL

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"I'm awfully sorry about this morning," he said immediately.

"That's all right," she told him, feeling irrationally, idiotically happy.

"No, it isn't all right. There's more to it than that," he said suddenly after they were both sitting.

"I'm very much afraid that you and I had better watch our step."

His expression was odd and constrained. He leaned over and began to play with a bangle she wore on her arm. She watched him expectantly.

"What do you mean?" she asked.

"What do you mean?" he echoed foolishly.

Ellen looked at him sharply. She wondered for a moment if he had been drinking. The lights had been dimmed for a moonlight waltz. The single shaft of light from the artificial moon fell across the table but his face was in the shadow.

"I just wanted to know," she resumed in a strained way, "what you meant by saying that we'd have to watch our step?"

"Oh, that!"

He laughed. The lights came up as the music stopped and she saw that his mysterious confusion had left him. She saw too that he had not been drinking. He was simple and natural, at ease again.

"Don't you know, Ellen?"

"No, I don't know."

Her heart was beginning to pound.

"Well, I was jealous as the very deuce this morning," he confessed smiling at her. "Jealous of your job and you're being more interested in that than in having lunch with me! You know what that means, I suppose?"

"What?"

He drew a long breath.

"Don't you think it's possible you and I might fall in love?" he asked with an uncertain laugh.

"What if we did?" she demanded carelessly, not quite liking the lightness of his tone.

"That'd be the devil all around wouldn't it?" he said nervously.

"I suppose it would."

"My mother—"

"You mean your mother has other plans for you," Ellen interrupted.

"Well, so has mine for me!"

Her tone matched his for indifference but she was furious.

"That's easy enough to see," he laughed. "Remember that time she put me out of your apartment? She hates me, doesn't she?"

"She doesn't think you work enough," said Ellen pointedly.

"Besides that you're probably a dozen other clamouring sweet-hearts," he said easily, seeming to lose interest.

"Only one," she assured him coolly.

He leaned over and caught her hands, laughed and accused her of trying to make him jealous. As the girl laughed with him she wondered forlornly if anything, anything would ever make him serious.

(To be Continued.)

Nanking, Apr. 30.

A meeting of the Legislative Yuan this morning declared illegal the decision of the Minister of Communications to increase the inland postal rates as from to-morrow, and has issued orders forbidding the increase.

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TALMA	10,000	19th May.	Amoy, S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Yoko
NALDERA	16,000	19th May.	S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Yoko
IBHUTAN	6,000	29th May.	S'hai, Kobe & Yoko
SANTHIA	8,000	2nd June.	Amoy, S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka
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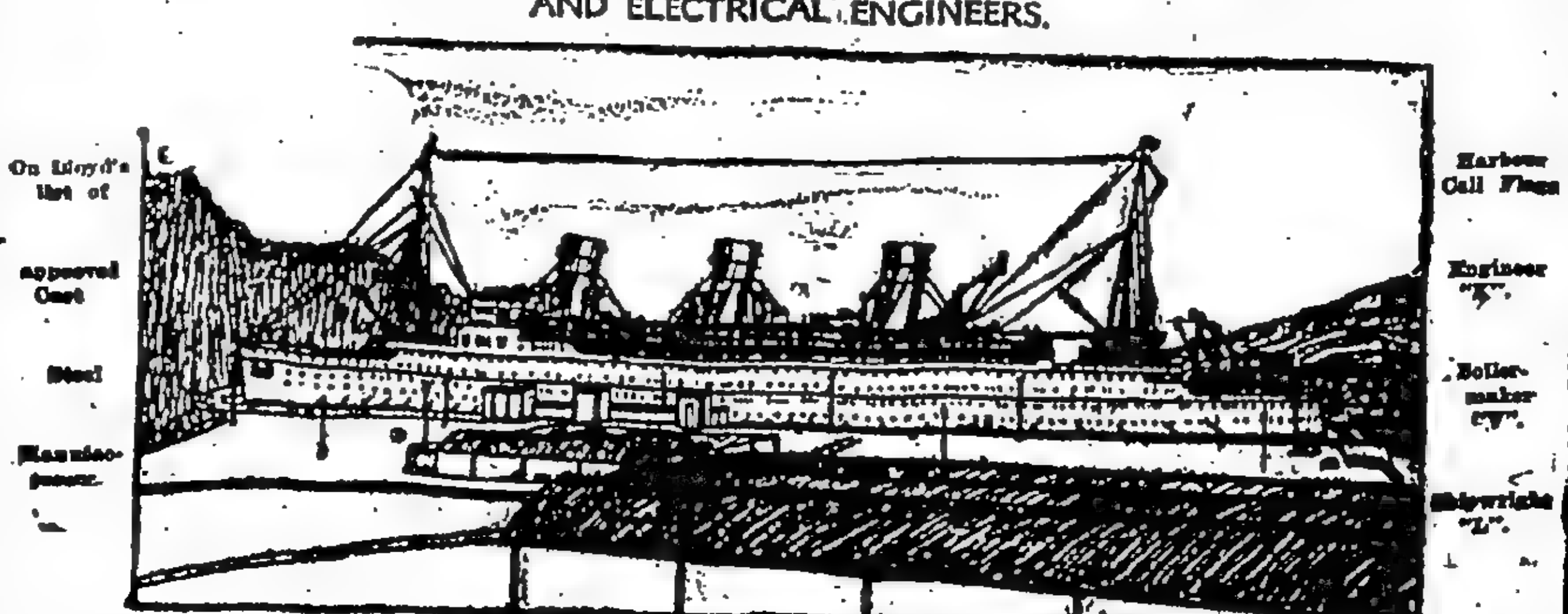
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There was a large attendance at the official opening on Saturday of the Chinese Merchants' Land Investment and Construction Company, Ltd. The opening was held in Gloucester Building and was attended by many leading Europeans and some of the wealthiest Chinese in the Colony.

The health of the chairman of the company was proposed by Mr. W. Logan who wished the new Company every success.

Mr. E. D. Shank responded on behalf of the chairman, Mr. Soo Hoo Mee-long.

Refreshments on a lavish scale were served to the guests.

Mr. E. D. Shank, the financial adviser to the company, told press interviewers that the company was the first of the China-America Engineering Construction and Pile Driving Company, which were organized on behalf of the Chinese Merchants' Association of Canada, the United States and South America.

The aim of the company, said Mr. Shank, was to advance the prospects of returned Chinese who had been working for many years in these countries; also, to endeavour to house them and provide modern sanitation throughout villages.

New streets and construction work in Canton City had been financed for the late Dr. Sun Yat-sen by the Chinese Merchants' Association, who numbered among their ranks some of the wealthiest men in the world.

Proceeding, Mr. Shank said they had elected to open these offices as the headquarters for returned Chinese from these three countries.

The aim of the company, said Mr. Shank, "is to buy real estate, build, sell and act as bankers and financiers for returned Chinese."

Mr. Shank added that the company's capital of \$1,000,000 was now fully subscribed.

Questioned further, Mr. Shank said the company would also be interested in the Chinese export trade.

The toast of the chairman was honoured, and the gathering broke up soon afterwards.

HAPPY OUTLOOK FOR BRITAIN.

MR. WALTER RUNCIMAN'S OPTIMISM

London, Apr. 30. Dealing with the foreign exchange problem in a speech last night, Mr. Walter Runciman, President of Board of Trade, said the Government desired to see the sovereign reaching an equilibrium from which stability could be maintained.

Stability was, to some extent, at their command through the proposals of the present budget, and their object was not to deal with banking problems except so far as they were interwoven with industry. They were wished to enable the merchant, manufacturer and shipowner, to be assured of his costs at home and abroad, and this could only be achieved by stability in the relative values of British and foreign money.

It may be that gold would be the fluctuating element and not sterling. Indeed, it was so far the opinion of the world that the sterling area was extending. They were finding their responsibilities growing outside the area of their own country into the Empire and even into the wider world.

Mr. Runciman remarked that attempts to replace London as the financial centre of world had failed. He added, "I have no hesitation in saying we shall be far better off at the end of 1932 than we were at the end of 1931."—British Wire-press.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE.

Sunday, April 24.—Mr. & Mrs. Shister, lunching at Government House.

Monday, April 25.—Lady Peel attended the International Reception held at the Helena May Institute.

His Excellency the Chancellor presided at the meeting of the Court of the University.

Wednesday, April 27.—His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel, accompanied by His Excellency's personal staff, had tea with the Hon. Dr. & Mrs. Kotewall.

His Excellency and Lady Peel dined with Commodore & Mrs. Walker at Admiralty Bungalow.

Thursday, April 28.—His Excellency the Governor presided at the meeting of the Executive Council.

Friday, April 29.—Lady Peel presided at the annual meeting of the Min-stering Children's League which was held at Government House.

Representing His Excellency the Governor, Captain T. A. H. Colman attended the reception given by Consul General and Mrs. Yoshida in honour of the birthday of His Majesty the Emperor of Japan.

The following luncheon at Government House: Group Captain Jackson, Captain Drew, Colonel & Mrs. Saville, Flight Lieutenant Knockner, Mr. A. G. Clark.

Saturday, April 30.—His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel luncheoned with Mr. & Mrs. Dyer at Happy Valley Race Course, and subsequently attended the Fifth Extra Race Meeting at Happy Valley.

ENJOYABLE CONCERT ON SATURDAY.

CHINA LIGHT AND POWER CLUB'S ENTERPRISE.

A delightful concert of band, vocal, clocutionary and instrumental items was attended by nearly 200 people in the China Light and Power Recreation Club's premises at King's Park on Saturday night.

Among the principal items on the programme were numbers played by the band of H. M. S. Cornwall, under the baton of Bandmaster E. N. Williams. The assisting artists were Mrs. W. R. Fleming and Mr. Li Chor Chi (vocalists), Mr. John V. Braga (violinist), Mr. S. A. Sweet (humorous items), Mr. W. R. Fleming was the accompanist.

The band, which was in fine form, rendered "L'Entente Cordiale," "Sanderson's songs," "Napolianna," "We'll Be Together Again," "Song of Happiness" and a clever "Musical Switch."

Mrs. W. R. Fleming's items, "I heard you go by" and "A Brown Bird Singing," were sung with considerable effect and were well received.

Mr. Li Chor Chi had bracketed numbers in each section of the programme. In the first half he sang "Elegie" and "Si vous l'avez Compris," and in the second half "One fleeting hour" and "I hear a thrush at eve."

Mr. J. V. Braga's violin solos and Mr. S. A. Sweet's humorous recitations also appealed greatly to the audience, who were loth to let them leave the stage.

After the concert, a dance was held in the clubhouse, the music being supplied by the band from the Cornwall.

NAVAL RELIEFS

H.M.S. CANTERBURY DUE TO-MORROW

H.M.S. Canterbury, with reliefs aboard for the river gunboats, is due to arrive at Hongkong from Chatham, Sheerness and Devonport early to-morrow morning.

Over 200 officers and ratings will disembark at Hongkong for service in the Canton river gunboats, a similar number later embarking here. The Canterbury will leave again on Friday for Shanghai, where another large number of relief ratings will be embarked for service in the Yangtze River gunboats, after which the Canterbury will proceed to Hankow. She will leave Hongkong on the return voyage to England on June 13.

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SHOOTING OUTRAGE IN INDIA.

MIDNAPORE MAGISTRATE ASSASSINATED

Calcutta, May 1. Whilst attending a District Board meeting, Mr. Douglas, the District Magistrate at Midnapore, was fired upon and seriously injured.

The magistrate was fired at three times. A Bengali youth, found to be in possession of a revolver, has been arrested.

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Another report states: There is a good demand for "Spot" Staples, with satisfactory clearances.

Spring Fancies are rather quiet on account of poor prices and clearances remain unsatisfactory. Some business is reported in Cotton, Venetians and Satotens.

Woolens.—Repeat business, although of a restricted nature, has been put through for many of the main chops. Comparatively little progress, however, has been made, and business in new styles is difficult to negotiate. The Contract controversy, the carry-over from last season are the main factors militating against the usual buying.

Another report states: Considerable business has been done in Standard qualities of Woolens but volume is below normal. Exchange fluctuations have again interrupted operations and many offers are not feasible.

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Sir.—Mr. M. K. Lo's letter in support of Dr. Li Shu-fan's candidature in the forthcoming Sanitary Board election will doubtless have been carefully considered by your readers, and I do not doubt that the "impartiality and characteristic good sense of the public" will already have led them to assess the arguments set forth therein at their actual value.

As President of the Kowloon Residents' Association, I cannot allow Mr. Lo's imputation of lack of public spirit to pass without comment.

K. R. A. POLICY.

The activities of the Association since its inception bear witness to its general policy, which has always been to give due thought to all questions of public interest affecting the Colony as a whole. Now closely this policy has been adhered to an examination of its published records will show.

We have consistently declined to act in the interests of any section or party at any time where such interests would conflict with the public weal. Our primary interests are, naturally those of the Peninsula, but there can be no doubt that these are closely linked with the general welfare of the Colony.

COMPARATIVE MERITS.

Mr. Lo, while protesting that he is not concerned with the comparative merits of the rival candidates, stresses at length the peculiar qualifications of Dr. Li for the vacant seat. The K. R. A. on the other hand wishes to point out that in addition to his long residence in the Colony and intimate knowledge of its requirements from a health point of view, Mr. Mow Fung has the further advantage, by reason of his connexion with the Association as a member of the Committee, of the technical and medical knowledge represented by that Committee. It makes no suggestion that the Association is the only channel by means of which health matters affecting residents can be ventilated on the Sanitary Board, nor is there the least ground for the imputation that the Association wishes to reflect on the actions of Mr. Lo, or any other member of the Board. I fail therefore to see that the statement of which Mr. Lo complains is any more "unfair" than is Mr. Lo's own emphasis on the peculiar advantage of his candidate.

NOTABLE RECORD.

The Association has every confidence in putting forward Mr. Mow Fung as a suitable candidate for the seat. In addition to his personal qualities he has a notable record of public service; he has stated his views and attitude with characteristic clearness and frankness, and we believe that his election will be unquestionably in the general interest of the Colony as a whole.

In closing I would re-echo Mr. Lo's hope that all who are entitled to do so will record their votes on May 10th. The decision lies with the general public, and we are well content to leave it at that.

Yours, etc.,
W. WALTON ROGERS,
President, K.R.A.

DOLLAR STILL UNCHANGED

LOWER RATES SEEM LIKELY

The Hongkong dollar remains unchanged to-day, although silver is slightly down both in London and New York. The market opened steady, but later an easier undertone developed, and lower rates seem possible.

In London, silver declined 1/16th spot and forward. There was no special feature, the market being very quiet.

Silver is down 1/8th in New York, where the market is dull. Futures are also weaker.

THE ATOM SPLIT! HYDROGEN INTO HELIUM

CAMBRIDGE MEN'S DISCOVERY

London, May 2.

The "splitting of the atom" is claimed to have been achieved by two young scientists, Dr. J. D. Cockcroft and Dr. E. T. Walton, working at Cambridge under the direction of Lord Rutherford the world-famous scientist.

Dr. Cockcroft stated that they concentrated on the atom of



Lord Rutherford.

hydrogen and found that at 120,000 volts, some of the atoms began to break up into helium.

The helium atoms came out with energies of an order 100 to 160 times that of the particles they were firing into them.

Lord Rutherford describes the discovery as one of great scientific importance, but of no immediate commercial value.—*Reuter*.

HIGHWAY ROBBERY SEQUEL

FIREMAN ARRESTED AS SUSPECT

Foo Sang, 23, a fireman attached to the Mongkok sub-station, has been arrested as a suspect following investigations into a highway robbery which occurred in Argyle Street, yesterday, and in which Foo Sang with another man not yet arrested is alleged to have been implicated.

It was stated that Lee Kwong-sang, a worker at a knitting factory, was on his way home when he was stopped by two men, who ordered him to put up his hands. Being under the impression that they were police searchers, he obeyed, and was robbed of a metal watch and chain he had in his breast pocket.

TREE-SITTER HAS A FALL

A SLIGHTLY INSANE YOUTH

In the police list of mishaps and misadventures to-day there appears a brief report to the effect that Lam Yip-choong, 22, was slightly injured through falling from a tree. "He is slightly insane," the report added.

It appears that Lam had suffered from a slight aberration of the mind, and yielding to a passing fancy, climbed up a tree, from which he could not be induced to descend, in spite of alternate threats and persuasions. Not until he fell down of his own accord and injured himself was the episode ended.

WHOLESALE ARRESTS

KOREAN HOMES INVADIED

(Special to "Telegraph").

Shanghai, May 2.

The Hongkew Park outrage has given rise to a remarkable situation in the French Concession, where Japanese consular and military police, armed with warrants, have been entering and searching scores of Korean homes in the French Concession.

A large number of arrests are reported to have been made, the French police having taken no interest in the proceedings of the Japanese authorities at all.

CHINA PRESS CHARGES.

According to the China Press "The Japanese authorities have apparently been given carte blanche in the French Concession as far as Koreans are concerned and the French Concession police maintain an attitude of silence when questioned concerning the Koreans arrested."

This paper also asserts that Koreans have been arrested by the Japanese on warrants containing the names other than those of the arrested persons.—*Reuter*.

HONOUR-SLAYING VERDICT

INDIGNATION IN AMERICA

DEMAND FOR AN ENQUIRY

Washington, May 1.

The verdict in the honour-slaying trial—manslaughter against all four accused, Mrs. Fortescue, Lieut. Massie, Lord and Jones—is sharply criticised throughout the United States.

Very strong comments were made in the Senate, the verdict being described by Senators as a cruel miscarriage of justice.

It is suggested that there should be a Congressional Enquiry or a Navy investigation and that if the facts are as reported in the Press, the accused should be pardoned.

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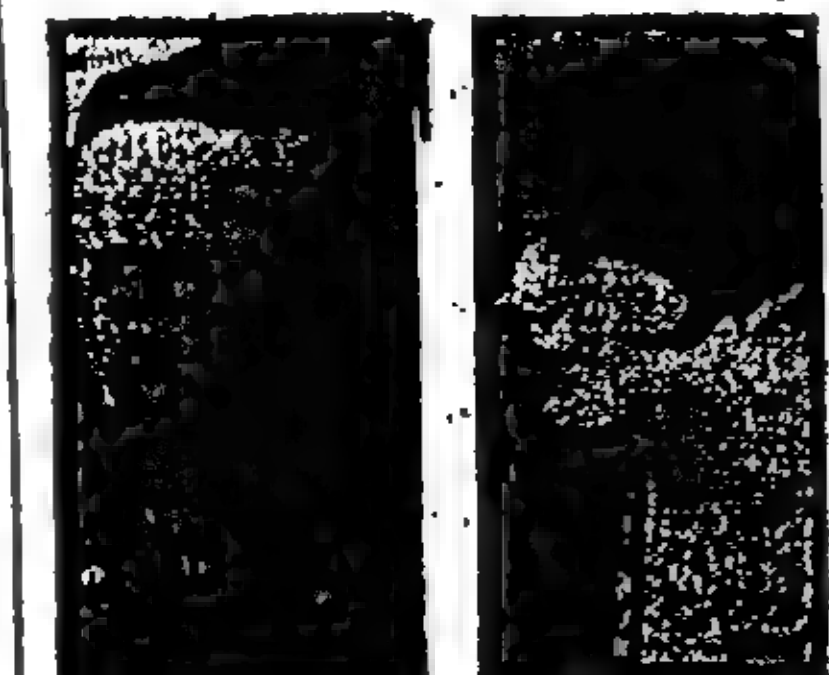
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father of Mrs. Massie, who was unable to attend the trial owing to illness, when he heard the verdict exclaimed: "O God. That's terrible," and immediately left for Washington.

It is understood that he consulted the authorities regarding

DOCTOR RUSHED BY WARSHIP

MR. SHIGEMITSU IMPROVING

QUESTION OF LEG AMPUTATION

(Special to "Telegraph").

Shanghai, May 2.

One of the most famous surgeons in Japan, Dr. Goto is expected to arrive in Shanghai to-day by warship, to give an opinion as to whether Mr. Shigemitsu's leg must be amputated.

The Japanese Minister has improved, but his condition is still regarded as serious.—*Reuter*.

SHANGHAI OPTIMISM.

Shanghai, May 2.

Further evidence of the optimism prevailing in official quarters, comes from reliable sources that Sir Miles Lampson, who has taken a leading part in keeping the Sino-Japanese negotiations afloat, has arranged to leave for Peking on Thursday.

It is stated that the truce agreement will be signed, in all probability, on Wednesday. The full conference has not yet been convened, but the sub-committee is meeting this afternoon.—*Reuter*.

THE ANARCHY IN ASIA

VIEWS OF LONDON MORNING POST.

London, May 2.

In expressing sympathy with Japan in the outrage at Hongkew Park, the *Morning Post* refers to the murder of Mr. Douglas, the magistrate of Midnapore, as "a sad reminder that the servants of Japan and Great Britain have to face the same danger from the same enemy, namely, anarchy in Asia, which vents a deadly hatred against all forms of ordered government."

CHAOS IN CHINA.

The revolutionary chaos in China has forced Japan, as before now it has forced Great Britain, to take strong measures for the defence of her subjects and their interests.

Japan, the journal further comments, showing admirable restraint following the outrage, is proceeding with her attempts to secure a truce and the withdrawal of her troops from Shanghai and might have been spared the entirely superfluous resolution from Geneva.—*Reuter*.

THE POSSIBILITY OF A NEW TRIAL IN THE UNITED STATES.

was advised that a re-trial could not be held legally at present.

FAMOUS ANCESTORS.

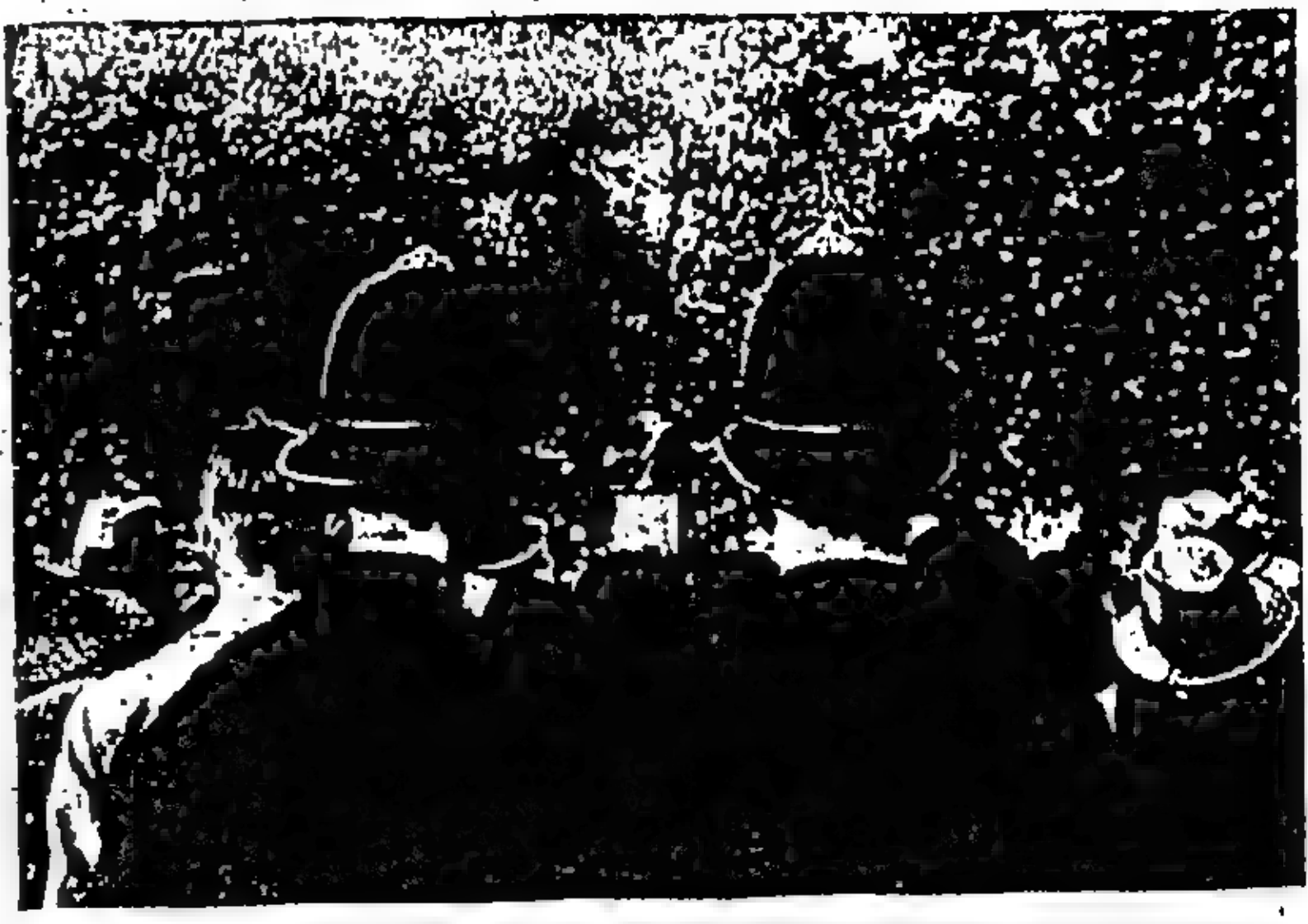
Mrs. Fortescue is a niece of the famous inventor of the telephone, Alexander Graham Bell, and a granddaughter of Gardner Hubbard, the wealthy Boston financier, who sponsored Bell when he first put the telephone on the market. With her brother and sister she spent every winter of her childhood at the famous Bell estate in Connecticut Avenue, Washington, which is one of the great show-places of the capital, and her summers were spent at Twin Oaks, the great estate of her grandfather.

Colonel Granville Fortescue, her husband, is a cousin of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, the present Governor-General of the Philippines.

GLOBE-TROTTERS.

Both Colonel and Mrs. Fortescue have spent a considerable time in the Far East, as well as Central America and Europe. Since the war, they have spent their time between globe-trotting and the huge mid-Victorian house on Long Island that belonged to the Roosevelts.

Mrs. Thalia Massie, the central figure of the grim drama, is the eldest daughter of the family.—*Reuter and N. A. A.*



A typical Hyde Park scene. The policemen stand aloof, seldom acting against the speakers, leaving free speech an effectual safety valve. Sometimes, as yesterday, however, the orators exceed the limit of tolerance.

DEMONSTRATORS DISPERSED

MARCHING ON JAPANESE EMBASSY

LONDON MOB CHARGED

London, May 1.

Baton charges by the London police were necessary this evening in order to disperse a May Day crowd which was bent on creating an anti-Japanese disturbance.

Instigated by Communists, who have caused anti-Japanese demonstrations in many cities in the world recently, the crowd, on leaving Hyde Park, insisted on crossing Portman Square, where the Japanese Chancery is situated.

SHANGHAI CHAMPIONS

CASTLE RIBBON FAVOURED

(Our Own Correspondent).

Shanghai, May 2.

The greatest interest is being manifested in the Champions race, which will be run on Wednesday. It is expected that the total tickets sold will be fully 60,000, at \$10 each.

Possible starters in the race are Alligator, Boot Black, School Boy, Mr. Cinders, The Dour Bird, Castle Ribbon, Subribbon, Fire Flash and Bonnie Lad.

Should Busy Bee qualify this afternoon, he may prove a serious contender, although at the moment Castle Ribbon is favoured to win. Switzerland has not yet qualified. Hurry On is the only qualified pony of the Dallas stable.

INSPECTOR INJURED.

A police-inspector and a constable, and three of the demonstrators were injured during the disturbance, while eight arrests were effected.

Early news from the European capitals indicate that May Day passed fairly quietly.—*Reuter*.

MADRID PARALYSED.

Madrid, May 2.

All work was brought to a standstill in Madrid yesterday, the tramway service, the underground railways and the taxicab services all being paralysed by the May Day demonstrations, which occurred all over the country but took a serious form only in one or two centres.

Three Communists and two policemen were injured when the police charged and dispersed a Communist gathering in the centre of Madrid.

CORDOVA CLASH.

One man was killed and six seriously injured in a clash between police and Communists at Cordova, where a general strike is threatened for to-day as a protest against the events of May Day.—*Reuter*.

POLAND CLASH.

Warsaw, May 2.

May Day was quietly conducted in Poland with the exception that two Communists were killed in a fight with police at Doshnawa.—*Reuter*.

FRENCH ELECTIONS

ANDRE TARDIEU RETURNED

Final Party State Doubtful

Paris, May 1.

France polled in the general election to-day and the occasion passed without serious untoward incident.

All the great party leaders have been returned, in most cases with easy victories, but the general results which have thus far been announced, give no indication of the final state of the parties.

The first results declared included the name of the Prime Minister, M. Tardieu, who was re-elected for Belfort by a majority of nearly three thousand.

HERRIOT BACK AGAIN.

M. Herriot, the ex-Premier and leader of the Radical-Socialist Party, was re-elected for Lyons by a large majority, while M. Paul Reynaud, the Minister of Justice, and M. Tardieu's chief lieutenant, was re-elected for a Paris constituency with a comfortable margin.

Curiously enough, the first result declared was from Saigon, coming through early because of the difference in time. The result was negative and a second ballot will be necessary.

LEADERS SUCCESSFUL.

M. Painleve, ex-War Minister and ex-Premier, has been re-elected as have M. Rollin, Minister of Commerce and M. Daladier, the Radical leader.

M. Saure, the Secretary-General of the Socialist Party, was defeated.

Enormous crowds are awaiting the results at the Town Hall and the newspaper offices.

M. Chautemps, the Radical ex-Premier, M. Bouisson, the President of the Chamber, M. Leon Blum, the Socialist leader, M. Louis Marin, the Rightist leader, and M. Dumesnil, the ex-Minister of Marine, have all been re-elected.—*Reuter*.

STATE OF PARTIES.

Paris, May 2.

At 1.30 a.m. the state of the Parties was as follows:

Right 39

Left Republicans 17

(Tardieu's group)

Centre 14

Radicals 38

Rep. Socialists 9

Socialists 22

Communists 0

Second ballots will be necessary in at least 193 constituencies.

M. Flanin, the Minister of Finance, M. Renaudel, the prominent Socialist, and M. Chappede-laine, the Minister for the Colonies, have been elected.—*Reuter*.

GOVERNMENT POSITION.

At 3.25 a.m. the Government parties had gained ten seats and lost thirteen.

The state of the parties was:

Extreme Right 2

Right 64

Left Republicans 25

Centre 20

Radicals 55

Rep. Socialists 12

Socialists 39

Communists 0

Second ballots will be required for 283 seats.—*Reuter*.

MANCHURIA TOWN LOOTED

REFUSED TO PAY FOR IMMUNITY

Harbin, May 2.

Bandits and demoralized troops are reported to have occupied Sun-hua on the Hulan-Hailan Railway and looted the town after the fall of the leading citizens to pay \$75,000 as the price demanded for leaving the town unharmed.

There is now no communication between Harbin and centres to the north of Sun-hua.—*Reuter*.

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CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney.

Secretary, American Bridge
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An original bid of two no trump shows a strong hand having all four suits stopped, and while the hand may contain a biddable four-card suit, the hand as a whole is not strong enough to make an original forcing two-bid with.

Original Bids of Two of a Suit.

An original bid of two of a suit is an absolute demand bid, and is perhaps the most abused bid in contract bridge. Under the McKenney system of contract bidding, an original two of a suit bid should not be made with a hand containing over three losing cards. It requires partner to keep the bidding open until a game-going declaration is arrived at even though he holds a trickless hand.

Original Three Bids

An original bid of three no trump is rarely ever made. It is a hand very seldom held as it requires all four suits doubly stopped, and invites a slam. In practically every case it is far better to open hands this strong with an original forcing two of a suit bid.

An original bid of three of a suit shows a hand long in trump and with outside defensive strength, but not quite strong enough to make an original two-bid with. It informs partner that with a possible in-card in his hand you can undoubtedly go game. It further informs partner that you have no desire to play the hand at no trump and that he need not have normal trump support to take you to game.

Original Four Bids.

Any original bid of four of a suit is a pre-emptive bid and shows great length in trump and little or no defensive strength. It advises partner that you will take about eight tricks if the suit you name is trump. They are made primarily for the purpose of shutting out an opponent's bid.

While all original bids of four are pre-emptive bids, generally the only ones that accomplish their real purpose are major pre-emptive bids. To successfully pre-empt in a minor suit, the original bid should be five. Contract players should not confuse pre-emptive bids with original bids of three. The patterns of the two hands are somewhat similar except that original three bids have side defensive strength, while pre-emptive four bids contain nothing more than a long suit and possibly a side ace or side king.

A GALA NIGHT.

EVENING'S ENJOYMENT AT
PENINSULA HOTEL.

A crowd of well over 200 gathered on Saturday evening to attend the gala night in the Rose Room of the Peninsula Hotel.

Mr. A. G. Plovani, Manager of the Peninsula Hotel, who is always very keen in giving his patrons something new and something better, may be well satisfied with the success obtained by the new band which he was introducing to Hongkong. The Capitols, under the leadership of Mr. Dick Leuterio, have a style and a rhythm which are entirely new and exceedingly "snappy."

Many encores were insistently requested by the public who were unanimous in affirming that the new band of the Peninsula is certainly the very best one in the Colony.

As usual, an excellent dinner was served, and dancing was carried on with enthusiasm until 1 a.m.

OBITUARY

A POPULAR ENGINEER
DROWNED AT SWATOW

Advice has been received from Swatow, stating that Mr. David McCormack, the Chief Engineer on the s.s. Liangchow, of the B. & S. fleet, was accidentally drowned on Wednesday evening whilst returning to his ship from the shore. Details of the accident are meagre, but our correspondent at Swatow states that Mr. McCormack was returning to the ship, which was moored at one of the B. & S. piers, about 7.30 p.m. on Wednesday evening, and it is believed, missed his footing and fell into the sea between the ship and the pier.

The Second Officer went to his assistance, and managed to hold him up until assistance arrived, but, although vigorous attempts at resuscitation were made after the rescue, Mr. McCormack was beyond aid.

The funeral took place on Thursday afternoon at Kalk-Chio, the Rev. J. C. Smith conducting the service. An inquest is being held into the fatality.

Deceased was the youngest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William McCormack of Dumbarton and was 42 years old. He served his apprenticeship in Dumbarton with Messrs. Denny & Co., and came out here eighteen years ago to join the China Navigation Company, with whom he has been connected ever since. Mr. McCormack was a freemason, and was very popular with his wide circle of friends. Much sympathy will be felt for his relatives at their sudden bereavement.

Young Rating's Death.

Frank William Louis Beckingham, ordinary seaman, on H.M.S. Cornwall, passed away yesterday on his 18th birthday, after a short illness.

Regarded by his officers as a very promising young seaman and held in great affection by his colleagues, Beckingham had been in the China Station since May last year.

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon at Happy Valley and was accorded full naval honours.

Mr. Kwan Yik-Chau

His many friends in Hongkong will learn with profound regret of the sudden death of Mr. Kwan Yik-chau, the compradore of the s.s. Sui Tai, who was also a popular figure in commercial circles here. The deceased is survived by his wife, two sons, one of whom is Mr. C. Y. Kwan, the local solicitor, and two daughters. He was 53 years of age.

The late Mr. Kwan was in perfect health until recently, and his demise, which occurred yesterday morning, must have come as a shock to his family and friends.

The remains will be removed to Macao from the Tung Wah Hospital this afternoon at 6 o'clock for the s.s. Sui Tai, which will leave at 8 a.m.

Mr. Angus Buchanan.

The death occurred at Ayr, Scotland, on March 19, of Mr. Angus C. M. Buchanan, formerly Chief Engineer in the China Navigation Company.

Mr. Buchanan joined the China Navigation Company in 1899 as third engineer, afterwards serving as second engineer then as chief, which position he held for many years. He retired in May, 1930, and went home to Scotland. He was of a kindly disposition and was held in high esteem by his employers and colleagues.

Mr. Buchanan is survived by his wife, son and daughter and two brothers, one of whom is Mr. George Buchanan, the well-known local engineer.

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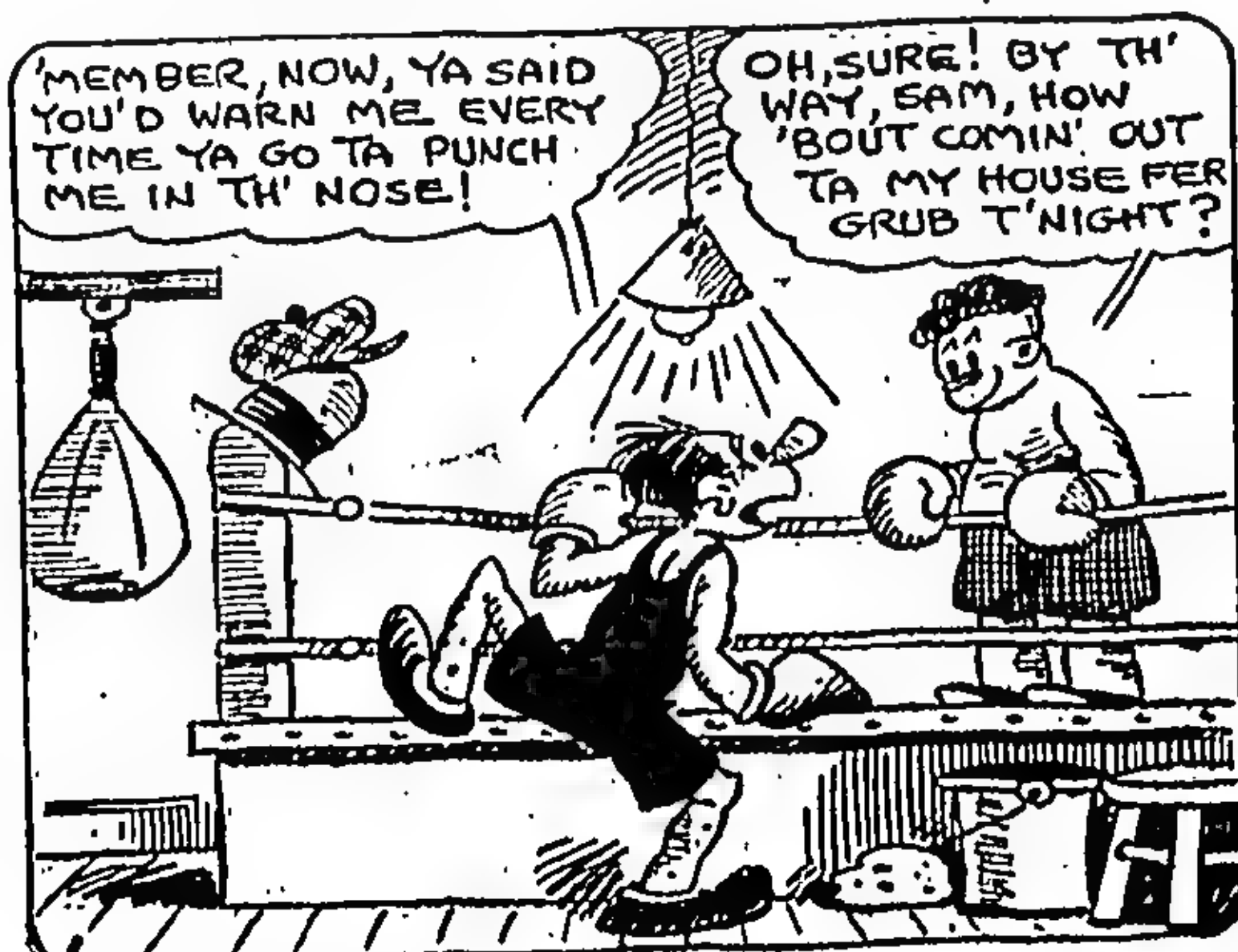
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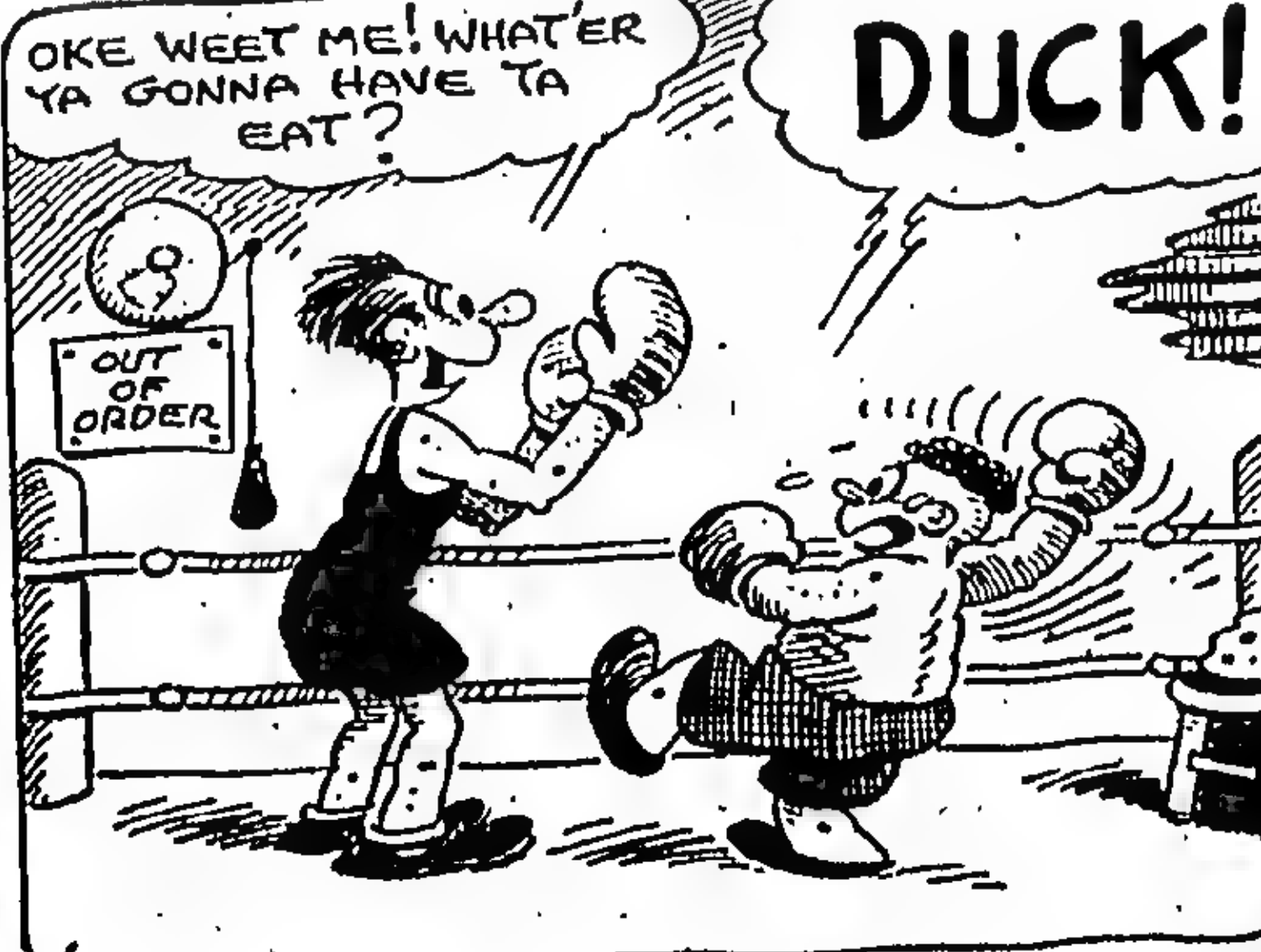


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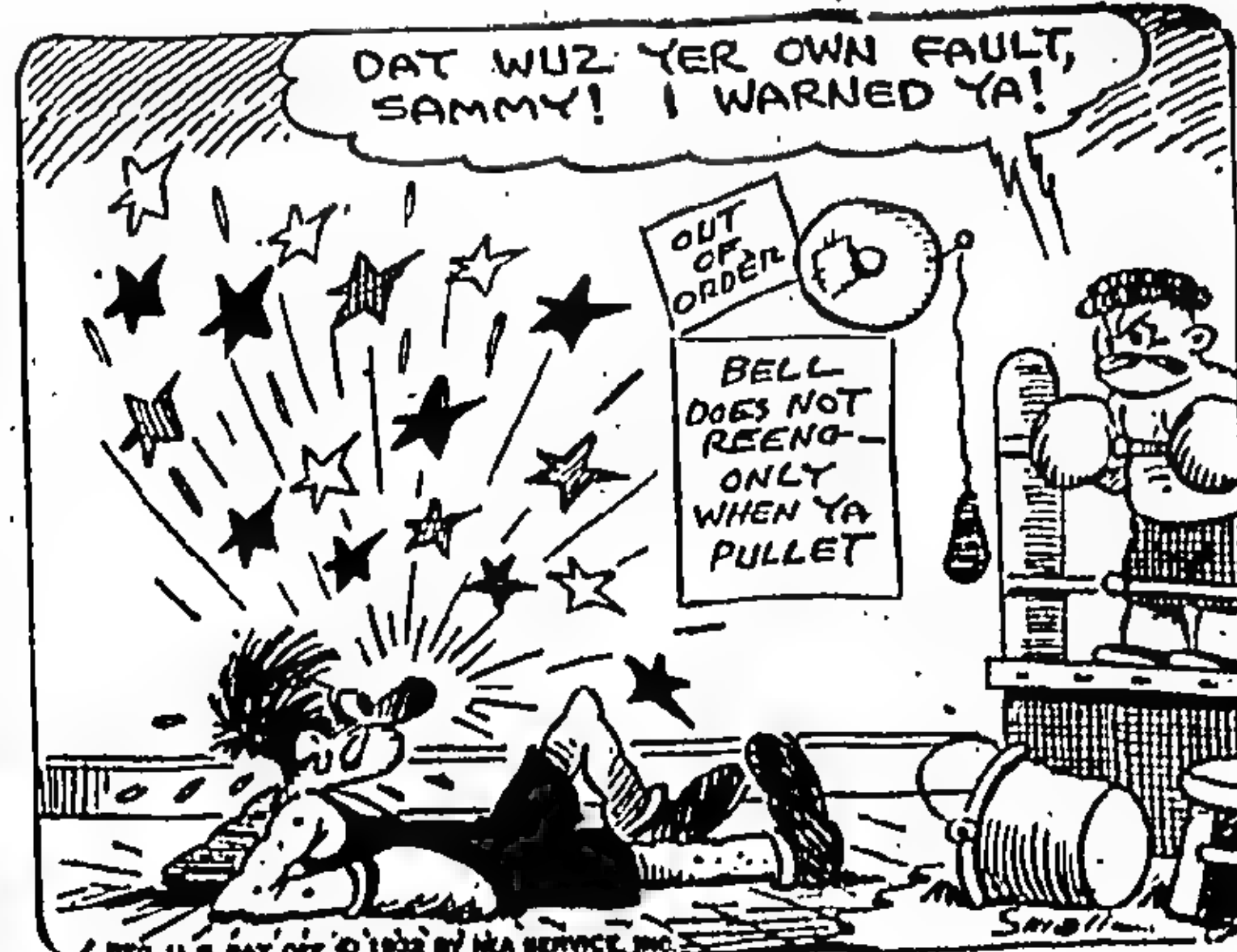
SALESMAN SAM



One On Sam!



By Small





Peter Llewelyn Davies, the young publisher, godson and ward of Sir James Barrie, and the original of "Peter Pan," became a bridegroom in London the other day. He is shown here after the ceremony with his wife, who was the Honorable Margaret Hore-Ruthven, one of the socially prominent Ruthven twins and daughter of the Governor of Guernsey. Barrie's immortal children's story, "Peter Pan," was dedicated to Peter Davies and his brothers, orphans who became the wards of the author.



Searching through the ruins at Pulaski, Tenn., for dead and injured victims after the tornado had hammered homes flat in a wide belt through the town. The death toll rose swiftly to nearly 300 as wreckage was searched and property damage passed the \$2,000,000 mark.



Unlike the old-fashioned horse-drawn sleighs that once were synonymous with the Russian scene, this "aero-sled" whirled into view on Moscow's snow-covered streets the other day to show proud citizens the Soviet government's newest mechanical product. The sled-like vehicle, capable of considerable speed, is driven by propellers.

The dime-a-dance girl

BY JOAN CLAYTON

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY.

Beautiful Ellen Rosier, a salesgirl in Harcourt's Department Store, works nights as a dance hall hostess. She lives with her mother, Molly Rosier, her elder sister, Myra, and her baby brother, Mike. At Dreamland she meets and falls in love with handsome Larry Harrowgate, an artist. Later she learns Larry is engaged to Elizabeth Jones, a debutante.

Steven Barclay, 37 and Ellen's employer, is in love with her. Without Ellen's knowledge her mother invites Barclay to dinner and borrows money to make the apartment more attractive. Ellen is furious, but when Barclay arrives she is compelled to be friendly.

That night he asks Ellen to marry him and she refuses. Unwittingly she leaves him with hope of winning her. Gossip circulates at the store and Ellen also is to be transferred to another department. Barclay gives her a job as assistant buyer at an increase in salary.

CHAPTER XXI.

Lorene Elcott proved to be a smart, thin woman who carried a lorgnette and had never quite learned to manage it. After several questions nervously asked and nervously answered she pronounced herself satisfied. There had been no discussion of salary between Ellen and Steven, but Lorene had her instructions and Ellen, naive and ignorant, was stupefied with delight to learn that as an assistant buyer she would receive \$50 a week. That was \$30 more than a salesgirl in Dreamland received.

"Are you sure it's \$50 a week?" Ellen managed to say.

"Perfectly sure," Lorene responded with a cryptic smile. Inwardly the older woman sighed a little for her own lost youth and lost enthusiasm. Years ago \$30 extra each week would have changed entirely the course of Lorene Elcott's life. Now a raise meant only that she could invest a little more in safe bonds. She roused from her dream of long ago and smiled at Ellen.

"I hope \$50 a week will be satisfactory," Lorene said.

"Why, yes," Ellen conceded in a low tone. She struggled a moment and finally got it out. "Is that the regular starting salary for assistant buyers?"

replied promptly and untruthfully. Since receiving Steven Barclay's instructions Lorene, not unnaturally, had been prepared to dislike the recipient of his favour. Ellen's innocent, embarrassed and proud little question had changed all that, had promptly made a place for her in Lorene's affections.

Entirely reassured, Ellen ran to telephone her mother. Molly was in the seventh heaven. Everything was marvellous. When the girl returned to the basement to remove her belongings, she was so light-hearted she felt almost giddy. What did she care for the other girls now? She was an assistant buyer! An assistant buyer with a salary of \$50 a week. In no time at all the insurance would be paid again. Fifty dollars a week! That was wealth!

Jenny was consumed with curiosity, eager to apologize, and to make friends again, but Ellen gave her no chance. She gathered up her comb, brush and the mirror she kept tucked away under the counter. She was pretending that Jenny Mrs. Bondy and all the others had nothing to do with her.

She knew well enough that a scandalous inference could and probably would be drawn from her sudden rise in the world but she would not think of that. Nothing should be permitted to spoil her pleasure. What the others said could not affect her.

It could, of course. But not then. Turning away from the counter, her arms full of her small possessions, Ellen walked straight into someone.

"I beg your pardon!" she said quickly.

"Aren't you even going to give me a glance?" Larry Harrowgate exclaimed.

For a second she was bewildered. Then her face lighted and her heart leaped upward.

"Larry!"

"I've been hanging around for 15 minutes," he was saying excitedly. "I thought you'd never come. Here—lemme help!"



New president of the Irish Free State, Eamon De Valera, here is shown arriving at the opening of the Dail in Dublin.



Bales of hay were hurled about and timbers swept away when the tornado smashed this barn at Northport, Ala. Picture shows National Guardsmen and stricken townsfolk as they burrow into the wreckage for possible victims.



The rivalry of Chinese girls to be first of their race to become licensed pilots was won by Miss Katherine Sui Fun Cheung of Los Angeles. She is shown receiving congratulations of Miss Ardette Cadwallader, president of the Chicago Girls' Flying Club.

"Aren't you glad to see me?"

"Of course I am, silly," she told him with a confused laugh.

How handsome he was! She loved the way he kept in step with her. She loved his calm obliviousness to the stir they were causing on the floor. They did look a trifle odd—the handsome youth in flannels and the girl in workaday store costume with neat paper cuffs and sensible shoes. Ellen knew that. But she felt a delicious flutter as he explained that he had learned from Salomon where she worked day times. That must mean something. It would certainly mean something if anyone other than Larry were concerned. But for that harum-scarum, she already knew, to have an impulse was to obey it.

"Our old friend Salomon was convinced my intentions were dishonourable," he remarked impudently, glancing aside at her. "I had to tell him that I only meant to carry you off to lunch. By the way, am I carrying you off to lunch?"

"I'm afraid not," Ellen explained with a serious and businesslike air. "I've a new job and I mean to learn so much that I won't have time to-day."

"Nonsense," he protested. "Surely you aren't saying you prefer a career to me. I'll be back at 12 sharp."

Ellen saw that he did not for a minute believe she had refused his invitation.

"You don't understand," she persisted half-heartedly. "I simply can't go with you to-day. It's my first day at this job—I'm to be a buyer—or an assistant buyer. I should say."

Her tone rose triumphantly. But it was evident that being a buyer meant nothing to Larry. They had reached the elevator. When Ellen rang the bell he became convinced of her earnestness, and, at the same time, abruptly crossed.

"You aren't talking to me," he began in annoyance. "That after I've hung around in that stuffy basement all morning waiting for you I can't take you to lunch because of some stupid job!"

"Just that," she assured him. "I certainly rate with you, don't I? I've a job too, you know. Three orders for pictures and I haven't

done a tap on any of them. But I was glad enough to take time off."

"Maybe you're better able to take time off," she replied sombrely.

The elevator descended and the doors opened. Early shoppers straggled inside. Ellen said a stiff goodbye. For a moment she thought he meant to say something further, then he bowed coldly and moved away.

Larry had destroyed her pleasure in the new job. The afternoon seemed long and dull and profitless. Lorene's chatter and constant references to Steven Barclay grew disproportionately irksome. Ellen vaguely realized that she wanted to love Steven and to hate Larry and that much of her discontent and dissatisfaction with the world was due to her double failure. The realization did not better matters.

That night at Dreamland she did not expect Larry. All the afternoon she had tried to make herself understand that it was entirely possible she might never see him again. So that evening was stale and flat to her; the dancing boring and her own popularity boring. She hated dancing with the men who frequented Dreamland, hated the pink and gilt hall, the tiny, mechanical music. But it was her job—even if it was to last only a short time

now—and she set herself resolutely at it.

Toward 10 o'clock she was dancing with a blank-faced, blue-eyed chap and attempting to ignore his soiled collar and dubious conversation, when she happened to glance toward the stairway to see Larry entering. Her heart missed a beat; her foot missed a step. Larry caught her eye. The two young people smiled contentedly and to Ellen the night burst into bloom. She could hardly contain herself until the dance was over and she could rush to the table where Larry was impatiently awaiting her.

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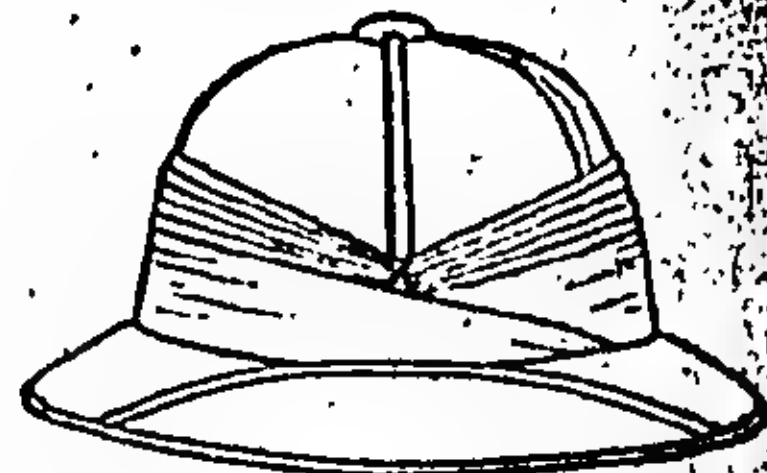
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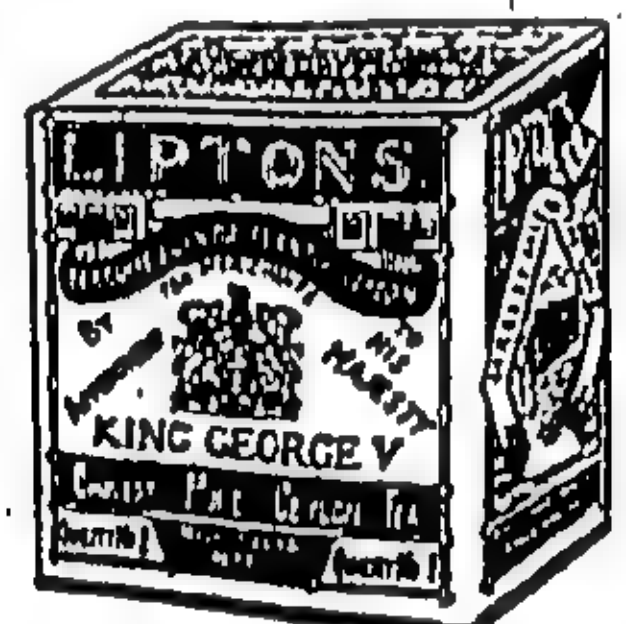
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Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Sixth Extra Race Meeting to be held on Saturday, 14th and Monday, 16th May, 1932, (weather permitting) may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, the Club House, Happy Valley, the Hong Kong Club, the Sports Club, and the Stables, Village Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock Noon on Thursday, 5th May, 1932.
By Order,
S. A. SLEAP,
Actg. Secretary.

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The Fifty-first Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the Offices of the General Managers, Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., Pedder Street, Hong Kong, on Wednesday, the 18th May, 1932, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, passing the Accounts, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 11th May to 1st June, 1932, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.,
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General Managers.
Hongkong, 2nd May, 1932.

THE CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

The Fifty-first Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Offices of the undersigned on Thursday, the 19th May 1932, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Agents, together with a statement of Accounts for the year ended the 31st December 1931. The Share Register and Transfer Books will be closed from the 5th to the 19th May, 1932, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.,
LIMITED,
General Agents.
Hongkong, 28th April, 1932.

NOTICE.

The undermentioned gentlemen have this day been elected Members of the Hong Kong Share-brokers' Association.

Mr. Andrew Tac,
Mr. Kwok Hin Wang,
Mr. Tong Fu Sam,

By order of the Committee,

LO KIN FAI,
Secretary.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

Messrs. Goddard & Douglas Marine Surveyors give Notice of removal from their present office at No. 4A, Des Voeux Road, (3rd floor), to a new office in Alexandra Building 1st floor as from 30th April, 1932.

NOTICE.

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FIFTY-NINTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Society will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, Union Building, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, 27th MAY, at 11 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1931, and of declaring Dividends, etc.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Society will be CLOSED from 9th MAY to 27th MAY, Both Days inclusive.
By Order of the Board,
PAUL LAUDER,
General Manager.
Hongkong, 30th April, 1932.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LTD.
(Incorporated in Hong Kong).

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SIXTY-THIRD ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Company will be held at its HEAD OFFICE, Union Building, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, 27th MAY, 1932, at 11.15 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1931, and of declaring Dividends, etc.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 9th MAY to 27th MAY, Both Days inclusive.
By Order of the Board,
PAUL LAUDER,
General Manager.
Hongkong, 30th April, 1932.

BRITISH TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LTD.
(Incorporated in Hong Kong).

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SIXTY-SIXTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Company will be held at its HEAD OFFICE, Union Building, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, 27th MAY, 1932, at 11.20 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1931, and of declaring Dividends, etc.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 9th MAY to 27th MAY, Both Days inclusive.
By Order of the Board,
PAUL LAUDER,
General Manager.
Hongkong, 30th April, 1932.

HONGKONG SHARE MARKET.

OFFICIAL SUMMARY BY STOCK EXCHANGE.

Markets opened quietly steady, with a predominating demand for the investment section. New listings:—Wallace Harper & Co., Ltd., and China Sports, Ltd.

Sales
Union Insurance \$465
Providents (Old) \$4.90
Hongkong Lands \$76½
Hongkong Trams \$22
Govt. Loans 1½% Premium X. Interest

Buyers
Hongkong Banks \$1500
Canton Insurance \$1240
Union Insurance \$460
Union Waterboats \$19½
Benguet Explorations 30 cents.
Wharves \$142½
Hongkong Lands \$76½
Peak Trams (Old) \$15½
China Lights (Old) \$20.00
Hongkong Electric \$73½
Macao Electric \$24
Canton Ice \$4½
Cements (Combined) \$18½
Cements (Old) \$13
Dairy Farms \$27½
Watsons (Old) \$13.70
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Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "Via Siberia" if so superscribed.

INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Due
Shanghai & Swatow	Kaying	May 2.
U. S. A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai	(San Francisco, 8th April)	Pres. MacKinley May 3.
Shanghai	Allport	May 3.
Batavia	Tinegara	May 3.
Amoy and Swatow	Van Houten	May 4.
Manila	Empress of Japan	May 4.
Calcutta and Straits	Tilawa	May 4.
Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers)		
London, 7th April and Parcels		
March	Ranchi	May 4.
Australia & Manila	Tanda	May 4.
Japan	Melbourne Maru	May 5.
Japan and Shanghai	Shinyo Maru	May 5.
U. S. A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai		
(Seattle, 10th April)		
Japan and Shanghai	Pres. Jefferson	May 6.
Japan	Ranpura	May 6.
Saloon	Manila Maru	May 6.
Japan and Shanghai	Athos II	May 10.
Australia & Manila	Porhous	May 10.
Canada, U. S. A., Japan and Shanghai	Empress of Asia	May 11.
(Vancouver B. C., 22nd April)		
Straits	Torukuni Maru	May 11.
Japan and Shanghai	Suwa Maru	May 13.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time
Swatow	Hydrangea	Mon., May 2, 8 p.m.
Batavia	Tjlsaroca	Tues., May 3, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiching	Tues., May 3, 1 p.m.
Fort Bayard	Wing Wo	Tues., May 3, 1.50 p.m.
Manila	Pres. MacKinley	Tues., May 3, 4.30 p.m.
Swatow	Fooshing	Tues., May 3, 5 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U. S. A., Canada, Central and South America and Europe via San Francisco and Europe via Siberia	Asama Maru	Wed., May 4, 8.30 a.m.
		(Duo San Francisco, 26th May)
Amoy	Taiyuan	Wed., May 4, 8.30 a.m.
Straits	Van Houten	May 5, 10.30 a.m.
Japan and Canada	Protestant Thure	May 5, 10.30 a.m.
		(Duo Vancouver B.C., 30th May)
Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane	Melbourne Maru	Thurs., May 5, 10.30 a.m.
		Reg., May 5, 2.45 p.m.
		Letters, May 5, 3.30 p.m.
		(Duo Brisbane, 18th May)

Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U. S. A., Central and South America and Europe via Vancouver B. C., Europe via Siberia

*Shanghai, Amoy and Foochow
Hohow, Pakhoi and Haiphong
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles

Ranpura Sat., May 7, 10 a.m.

Par. 6th, 4.30 p.m.
Reg. 7th, 9 a.m.
Letters 10 a.m.

G. P. O.
Par. 6th, 5 p.m.
Reg. 7th, 9.45 a.m.
Letters 10.30 a.m.

(Duo Marseilles, 3rd June.)

*Straits, East and South Africa
Samsui and Wuchow
Manila
Straits and Calcutta

Manila Maru Sat., May 7, 10 a.m.
Pres. Jefferson Sat., May 7, 4.30 p.m.
Kut Sang Sun., May 8, 10 a.m.

Parcels Sat., May 7, 5 p.m.
Letters Sun., May 8, 9 a.m.

Swatow, Amoy and Formosa
Bangkok via Swatow
Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles

Canton Maru Sun., May 8, 9 a.m.
Kiangsu Sun., May 8, 9 a.m.

Reg. 10 a.m.
Letters 1 p.m.

G. P. O.
Reg. 12.45 p.m.
Letters 1.30 p.m.

(Duo Marseilles, 11th June.)

Fort Bayard, Haiphong, Pakhoi and Tonkin
Haiphong
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow

Haiyang Tues., May 10, 1 p.m.
Emp. of Asia Wed., May 11, 5 p.m.
Hang Sang Wed., May 11, 8.30 a.m.

Hi-wang Wed., May 11, 10.30 a.m.
Sandakan

*Superscribed Correspondence only.

SHARE PRICES.

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS.

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:

Banks.
Hongkong Banks, \$1500 b.
Chartered Banks, \$10½ n.
Mercantile Banks, \$18½ n.
East Asia, \$115 n.
Am. O. Finance Corp., \$25 n.

Insurance.
Canton Ins., \$1240 b.
Union Ins., \$460 b.
China Underwriters, \$4 n.
China Fires, \$590 n.
H.K. Fire Ins., \$1,195 n.

Shipping.
Douglases, \$27 b.
H. K. Steamboats, \$28 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Prof.) \$32 n.
Union Waterboats, \$19½ b.

Miner.
China Estates, \$96½ b.
Benguet Exp. 30 cts. b.
Benguet, \$15 ¼ n.
Kailans, 24/9 n.
S'hai Explorations, Tls. 2.10 n.
Raubs, \$34 n.

Decks, etc.
Kowloon Wharves \$142½ b.
Whampoa Docks, \$20½ n.
South China Motors \$10 n.
Providents (old), \$4.90 sa.
Hongkows, Tls. 225 n.

Cottons.
New Engineers Tls. 6 n.
Shanghai Docks, Tls. 88½ n.

Cottons.
Ewo Cottons, Tls. 13.60 n.
Shanghai Cotton, Tls. 75 n.
Zoon Sings Tls. 10½ n.

Land, Hotels, etc.
H.K. Hotels, \$13.15 n. Cum Rts.
H. K. Hotels Rights, \$2.40 n.
H.K. Lands, \$76½ b.
Metro Lands \$10 n.

Public Utilities.
Tramways, \$22 sa.
Peak Trams, (old), \$15.50 n.
Star Ferries, \$30 n.
China Lights, \$20.90 b.
H. K. Electric, \$78½ b.
Macao Electric, \$24 b.
Telephones, \$38½ n.
China Buses, Tls. 16 n.
Singapore Tractions, 8/ n.

Industrial.
Malabons, \$31 n.
Canton Ice, \$4½ b.
Cementa (com.), \$18.70 b.
Ropex, \$14.10 n.

Stores, etc.
Dairy Farms, \$27½ b.
Watsons, (old) \$13.70 b.
Watsons, (new) \$13½ n.
Der A. Wings, \$1 n.
Lane Crawford, \$5.80 n.
Mackintosh, \$19½ n.
Sincora, \$17½ n.
Fowels, \$3.35 n.

Miscellaneous.
Amusements, \$22½ n.
Entertainments (old) \$14.25 n.
Constructions (old), \$5.60 n.
Constructions (new), \$1.75 b.
S. C. Enterprises \$3.90 n.
B. Ind. O. & Bonds, \$30% n.



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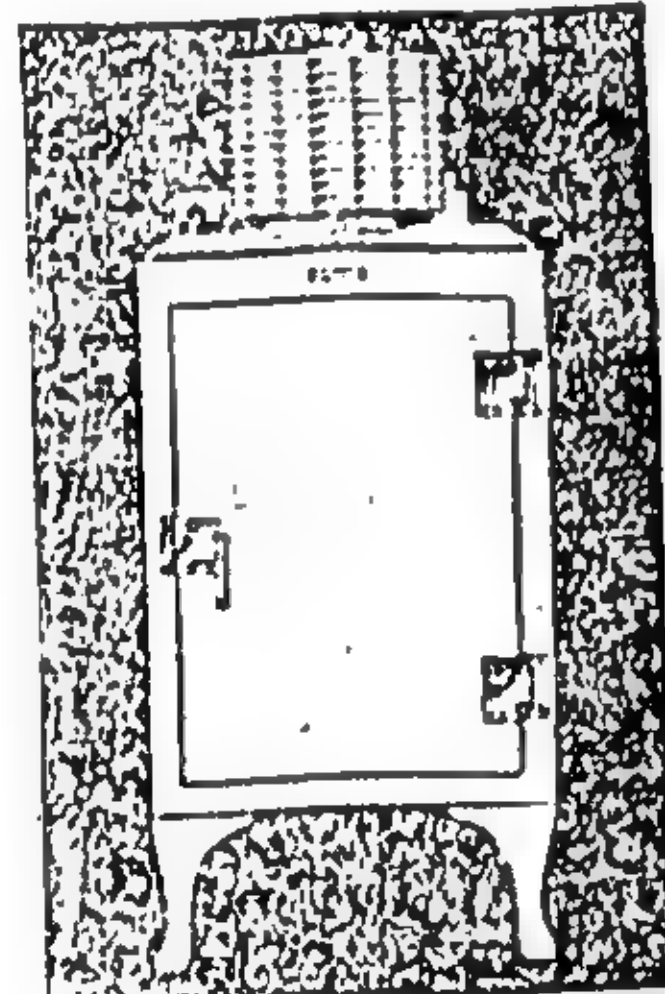
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PRESENTATION TO A
PAST PRESIDENT

The opening of the lawn-bowls season at the Kowloon Bowling Green Club was marked by a farewell presentation to Mr. D. F. Warren, Vice-President of the Club in 1928, and President in 1929, who is leaving the Colony for Vancouver shortly.

The two teams which played during the afternoon were skipped by Warren and Mr. E. W. L. Hogbin, the President of the Club, the latter's team winning by 13 shots after an enjoyable game.

At the conclusion of the game, members gathered inside the clubhouse, where Mr. Hogbin presented Mr. Warren with a carved ivory tusk and an illuminated address on behalf of the members.

The following was the address: Kowloon Bowling Green Club, Kowloon, Hongkong. Delbert Fred Warren, Esq. Vice-President 1928. President 1929.

Sir,—On your departure from the Colony and the consequent severance of your connection with the Club, the members wish to place on record their very high appreciation of the services which you have rendered during the eight years of your Membership.

Joining the Club on your arrival in the Colony in 1924, you became Vice-President in 1928 and President in 1929. Your enthusiasm for Lawn Bowls has been exceeded only by your loyalty to this Club and its ideals, whilst your unfailingly cheerful encouragement has been not only a source of inspiration to the younger players, but the admiration of the older Members of the Club.

With your departure the Club will lose a keen bowler and a wise Counsellor and a true friend, and whilst the present Members will long cherish the memory of your Friendship, your Name will be preserved in the Records of the Club through the "Attorney" Shield which you so generously gave the Club for Annual Competition.

We, one and all wish you Good Health, Prosperity and Happiness in your Homeland.

Mr. Warren expressed his gratitude for the honour done him. He said, words could not adequately express his thanks for the carved ivory and the illuminated address, which he did not deserve. He would be in Vancouver very soon, and if any members of the Kowloon Bowling Green Club passed through that port, he would like them to drop in to see him at any hour of the day or night.

The Bowls Game.

The following were the scores of the lawn bowls game:

First Rink.	
R. Duran	S. E. Adams
T. Ferguson	C. E. Terry
H. Rose	T. Nichol
D. Warren	15 E. W. L. Hogbin

Second Rink.	
G. H. Sherriff	H. F. Stoneham
S. Ashworth	T. Gooding
J. G. Meyer	J. S. Logan
A. W. Davidson	22 W. E. Hale

Third Rink.	
M. Taylor	G. N. Mitchell
D. Phillips	T. Hard
F. Rapley	E. V. Whitta
D. Gow	14 A. M. Holland

Fourth Rink.	
W. Venables	C. S. Beat
J. S. McIntosh	L. Farmer
J. A. Craig	V. Petherick
W. Russell	18 H. Nish

AMERICA'S COTTON.

SCHEME FOR GETTING RID OF MILLION BALES.

Washington, May 1. That from half to one million bales of cotton can be disposed of abroad if the necessary credit for financing the scheme is approved by the Congress, is indicated in the report of the Cotton Advisory Committee to the Farm Board, recommending a sales policy in connection with the stabilization of holdings.—*Reuter's American Service.*

London, May 1. At Sandwich, Eric Fiddian (Stourbridge) won the English Amateur Golf Championship by defeating A. Bradshaw (Stoke Poges), in the final by one up over a course of 36 holes.—*Reuter.*

LOCAL CRICKET

INTERPORT SIDE DO WELL

Although a good side on paper, Interport XI did not provide the opposition expected when they met the selected Interport XI on the Hongkong Cricket Club ground on Saturday afternoon. The Interport side, after knocking up 182 runs for the loss of only three wickets, skittled out their opponents for only 40 runs. G. C. Burnett was mainly responsible for the debacle of Shaw's XI, taking eight wickets for only 20 runs.

The bowling served up to the Interport batsmen was deplorably weak, however, and Saturday's game cannot be regarded as a serious test of the batting ability of the side. Shanghai bowlers like Mansell-Smith, Leach, Isaacs and others are certainly not going to bowl under-arm lob to E. F. Fincher and Sayer, like Capt. Moir did on Saturday as a last resource.

Much ink has been spilt over the selection of G. R. Sayer, but what ever critics have said about him, he rather vindicated his inclusion by hitting up 71, without giving a chance. E. F. Fincher was also in good form with the bat and contributed 67 not out. His timing was faulty at the start, but after having got his eye in, he delighted the spectators with some pretty square-cutting.

Burnett returned the excellent analysis of eight for 20, but his figures rather flatter him. A. R. Minu was bowling very well at first, but fell off afterwards. He took two wickets for 13 runs.

The batting of Shaw's XI was wretched. Except for Laman, who knocked up 22 runs in a plucky innings, none of the other batsmen played with any confidence. He was given out leg before to a confident appeal, but the ball appeared to the spectators to be rising.

Scores:
Interport Team.
J. E. Richardson, lb.w. b. MacNab 20
G. R. Sayer, lb.w. b. Minu 71
E. F. Fincher, not out 67
P. Madar, run out 9
Extras 9

Total (for 3 wickets, decd.) 182
A. C. Hamilton, E. J. R. Mitchell, A. H. Madar, A. C. Beck, A. R. Minu, G. C. Burnett and W. T. Patterson did not bat.

Bowling Analysis.	
	O. M. R. W.
Mitchell	11 2 43
McLellan	3 0 6
Musson	11 1 32
Reid	7 0 20
Amstruther	5.5 1 36
MacNab	7 1 8
Wilkinson	3 1 8
Moir	2 0 12

Comdr. Shaw's XI.	
MacNab, c & b Burnett	22
Laman, lb.w. b. Burnett	2
Wood, c Beck, b Minu	0
Shaw, lb.w. b. Burnett	0
Musson, lb.w. b. Minu	0
Wilkinson, b. Burnett	0
Moir, c Richardson, b Burnett	0
Reid, c Richardson, b Burnett	0
McLellan, b Burnett	0

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Total 182
Bowling Analysis.
O. M. R. W.
Burnett 12 2 20 8
Minu 7 1 13 2
Hamilton 4 1 13 0

LOCAL FOOTBALL

RUNNERS-UP ISSUE DECIDED.

The final league football game of the season was played on the Club ground between Kowloon and South Wales Borderers on Saturday, to determine the runners-up for the first Division. The teams finished equal in the table with 16 points and goal average not counting in local league, a match had to be arranged. The Borderers won by five goals to three.

Mrs. Ormsdon presented the trophies to the winners of the three Divisions and Mr. J. McKelvie, Kowloon's captain, presented her with a bouquet in a silver holder, tied with the blue and white colours of the Association.

The winners and runners-up for the season are:
Division I. Winners. Royal Navy; Runners-up. S. W. Borderers.

Division II. Winners. Royal Artillery; Runners-up. S. W. Borderers.

Division III. Winners. S. W. Borderers; Runners-up. Royal Air Force.

NEW TURKISH MONEY.

SILVER COINS AGAIN TO BE USED

Constantinople, May 1. The Turkish Government has decided to re-introduce silver coins, which have not been used in Turkey since 1914.

They will have the value of the Turkish lira (about half a crown).—*Reuter.*

LYTTON MISSION.

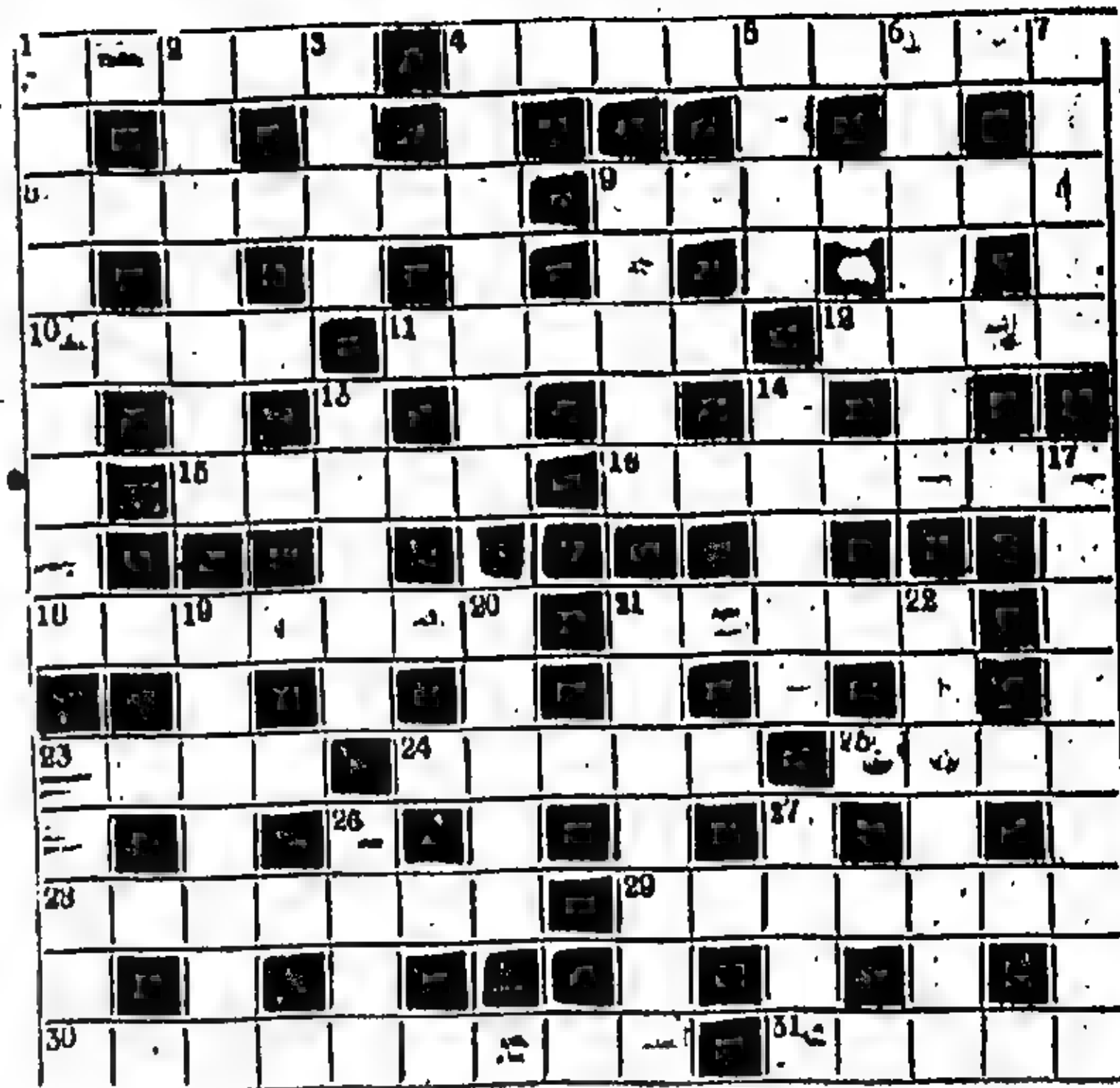
ARRIVING AT CHANGCHUN ON MONDAY

Changchun, May 1. The Foreign Minister of the Manchukuo Government has received a telegram formally announcing the arrival of the Lytton Commission at Changchun tomorrow evening.—*Reuter's Morning Post Special.*

Amstruther, not out 3
Micheaux, c & b Burnett 0
Extras 49

Total	
Bowling Analysis.	O. M. R. W.
Burnett	12 2 20 8
Minu	7 1 13 2
Hamilton	4 1 13 0

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS.



Across

- If you planted a housemaid, would this come up?
- Stable, and part of the horse is in it.
- No true believer.
- Change this man to die calm.
- Responsible for a deal.
- Vary 24 across to make a hit.
- If you accept the offer of one, you'll take hundreds.
- Most of it is what trickles into it.
- By no means credulous.
- Its tail is not absorbed, nor are its limbs pushed forth.
- Famous tunnel.
- X, perhaps.
- Variation of 9 down.
- The fibre of your ancestry, perchance.
- Birds like hornbills.
- By no means ironic.
- Crime.
- A great post.

Down

- When I'm between a fish and an insect I'm squarking.
- Not a limb on the right side as you'd imagine without hesitation.
- Manufactured in Madeira.
- Encouragement in a tug, may appear in a train.
- Had its composer been English he'd have wanted help to write this opera.
- Extract.
- May be fit up.

- Variation of 20 down.
- "Cry — and let slip the dogs of war" (Julius Caesar).
- European capital.
- A little reptile reputed to have "bust himself, when placed on tartan."
- Famous beach.
- Variation of 11 across.
- Often put in soups.
- Refreshing, but, if hebeaded quite useless in one sense.
- Her house was on the wall of Jericho.
- A floating city?
- What the cave-man took to his wife: nowadays she has her own.

Saturday's Solution.

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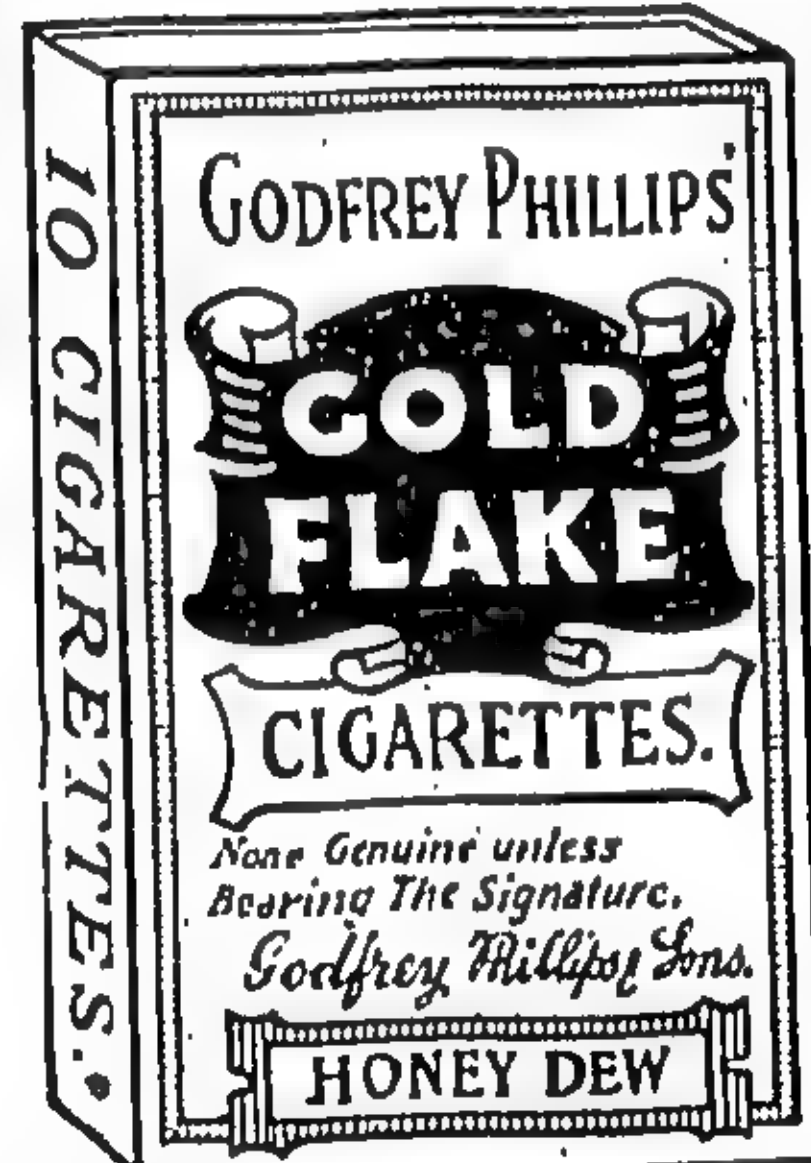
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BIRTH.

WATKINS. At the Matilda Hospital, on Wednesday, April 27, 1932, to Hazel Marjorie, wife of Rev. L. N. Watkins, a daughter.

DEATH.

KWAN YICK CHOW. Mr. Kwan Yick Chow, comrade of S. S. Sui Tai, father of Mr. C. Y. Kwan, solicitor, passed away on the early morning of Sunday, May 1. The funeral takes place this afternoon (Monday, May 2nd) leaving the Tung Wah Hospital Mortuary at 6 p.m. for the S. S. Sui Tai, which will convey the remains to Macao the following morning. Only floral tributes will be accepted.

The Hongkong Telegraph

MONDAY, MAY 2, 1932.

PRACTICAL EDUCATION

Among the problems which Hongkong has to face is that of evolving a system of education which shall be of practical use to young men when they go out into life and seek to earn their living in the industrial sphere. Not only in this Colony, but in Britain as well, it has long been realised that some substitute is needed for the old-time apprenticeship system. Accordingly, many admirable educational schemes have been drawn up and put into successful operation in England by several members of the Association for Education in Industry and Commerce, but these efforts, worthy of praise as they undoubtedly are, touch merely the fringe of the problem, which can be properly tackled only by a scheme on a larger scale than is possible to a single firm or group of firms.

Some time back, the Association named above, in discussing at its annual conference the education system of Great Britain, especially in relation to business needs, could pass no judgment upon the commercial success of university graduates, though it noted as a significant fact that the appointments board of, for example, Cambridge University, has no difficulty in placing its clients. British university education is, except in certain branches of applied natural science, overwhelmingly non-vocational. The defence of the assumption that a man who has followed a course of academic reading will have thereby acquired a method of attack and a system of study readily applicable to any and every kind of business problem. That this theory is substantially sound is indicated in a statement of Sir Max Bonn, president of the Association, that frequently single concerns, or even whole industries, which had fallen into decay, have been saved by some stranger who, lacking expert knowledge, has brought to bear on the conditions a properly-trained thought. Such an educational system, however, though at its best yielding the highest possible results, is not suited to all types of ability. From both a commercial and a cultural point of view there is much to be said for the contention of Sir Charles Grant Robertson that it profits only those students who are reasonably likely to attain first, or second class honours in their degree examination.

The question thus arises—and it is one which greatly concerns Hongkong—as to what kind of education is to be given to those who either do not satisfy this requirement of who do not wish to enter a university. It is in dealing with this huge army of young men and women of the latter type that British education is recognized as being least effective. At present a secondary school course, for those who do not contemplate a university degree, leads nowhere, as Lord Eustace Percy observed some time ago. To complete the secondary school system on its commercial as well as on its cultural side there would seem to be needed a number of properly organized technical colleges of an academic status roughly equal to that of ordinary universities. In various countries there are several colleges in close touch with the needs of industry; and educational policies of the future will probably pay attention to the development of this idea. Hongkong will soon have its properly-organized Technical School and this will no doubt provide a body-needed link in our system of education.

In Defence of the K.R.A.

In his letter supporting the claims of one of the candidates for the vacancy on the Sanitary Board, Mr. M. K. Lo has seen fit, in a rather oblique way, to imply a lack of public-spiritedness on the part of the K.R.A. Whilst we have not the least intention of taking sides, as between one candidate and the other, we feel that in common fairness to the K.R.A. and its nominee, the issue raised by Mr. Lo should be put in its proper light. Mr. Lo bases his criticism on the Association's statement that "the expert technical and medical knowledge at the command of the Association will also be at the disposal of our candidate." As we view the matter, there is no justification whatever for investing this statement of fact with any ulterior meaning, such as the implication that the Association might withhold its advice from any member of the Board not nominated by the K.R.A. The issue is, after all, quite simple. There are two candidates for the seat, one with medical and public health qualifications; the other laying no claim to the possession of such technical knowledge. To offset any apparent handicap under which the latter may appear to be labouring, the Association quite properly stresses his official connexion with a body which has access to expert advice. There is no suggestion that the Association's candidate has exclusive contact with that body, but it is made clear that any seeming disability created by the fact that Mr. Mow Fung is a layman is, in the circumstances, more apparent than real—in other words, that what he may lack in expert knowledge is counterbalanced by the fact that he can look to the Association's experts for guidance. This is a perfectly logical and legitimate piece of propaganda, based on fact, reflecting nothing unfair or unreasonable in tactics, either on the Association or its nominee. The K.R.A.'s fine record of public service is a sufficient answer to Mr. Lo's implied criticisms, but it is well that the point on which he rests his imputations should be shown to have no substance either in theory or in fact.

Injured seriously through a fall from a window at 45 Haiphong Road yesterday, a man named Yeung Fook, stated to be unemployed, was taken to the Kwong Wah Hospital.

DAY BY DAY

EFFECT? INFLUENCE? UTILITY? LET A MAN DO HIS WORK; THE FRUIT OF IT IS THE CARE OF ANOTHER THAN HE.—Carlyle.

The P. and O. s.s. Ranchi, from Singapore, is due here with the English mail on Wednesday at 10 a.m.

The Empress of Japan (from Manila) is due here at 7 a.m. on Wednesday and will berth at Kowloon Wharf.

The week-end return of notifiable diseases shows four fresh cases of meningitis, four of diphtheria and three of small-pox.

Mr. W. J. Keavick has been authorized to sign the name of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Co., Ltd., and Mr. H. W. Moon to sign per pro.

The Health Bulletin of Eastern Ports for the week ending the 23rd inst., shows the following cases of infectious diseases and the deaths therefrom:—Plague, Bassein 1 death, Bombay 5 cases 5 deaths, Rangoon 1 case, Cholera, Calcutta 84 cases 40 deaths, Canton 1 case, Small-pox, Suva 2 cases, Bombay 8 cases 5 deaths, Calcutta 40 cases 22 deaths, Karachi 10 cases 2 deaths, Madras 13 cases 2 deaths, Rangoon 32 cases 12 deaths, Pondicherry 8 cases 6 deaths, Saigon 32 cases 27 deaths, Canton 22 cases 1 death, Shanghai 22 cases 6 deaths, Osaka 3 cases, Cerebro-spinal Meningitis, Macao 16 cases 12 deaths.

Lois Moran and John Gilbert handle the stellar roles in "West of Broadway," and make a complete success of the task, as those who have seen the opening performances yesterday at the Queen's will agree. Briefly, the story tells of a "gold-digging" Broadway cabaret girl who, against her principles, "fell for" an intended victim and is reluctant to pursue the object she originally had in view. There are some interesting turns to the story, designed more or less to suit the type of characterization which picture-goers have been accustomed to look for from Gilbert. The picture is well worth seeing.

Janet Gaynor and Charles Farrell are featured in "Delicious," the current attraction at the King's Theatre, which drew crowded houses yesterday. There is a deal of rather sickly sentimentalism in the picture, but this is more than offset by the excellence of the acting of the leads and by the finished character of the production, which includes some very clever impressionist scenes. El Brendel is also extraordinarily good in the role of a valet, quite his best appearance for a long time. There is a clean and wholesome atmosphere about the film and this comes as a welcome relief to the sex stuff of which we get all too much nowadays.

SUGAR MARKET.

THE LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS.

The following cable at the close of the sugar market on Saturday has been received by Messrs. Penfrenth and Co.

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New York Terminals.

No quotations.

MOTHER & DAUGHTER— "LIKE SISTERS"

But is it Wise?

Asks

MARY BORDEN

The problem of mothers and daughters is old, as old as the family, and it will be a problem so long as the family exists.

But it changes; it grows ever more difficult and more delicate, increasing in complexity as the world becomes more civilised and men and women more expectant. Perhaps in the Stone Age there was no such problem.

Daughters in a primitive world had little to gain from disobedience to their mothers. They were probably submissive to the laws of the clan, since danger of death by violence was the most likely alternative. Youth did not in any case last long enough to allow girls to feel or get into mischief at home; and this holds true to-day in the conservative East.

When a daughter is married, leaves her father's house, and becomes a mother herself at thirteen or fourteen, she has not much chance to become bored with her parents. She is scarcely old enough when she goes away to be critical, and the experience awaiting her leaves little inclination to rebel against the authority so soon to be exchanged for another.

I think the relation of mother and daughter is more difficult to-day than it ever has been, or ever will be. The family still survives in a weakened form. Parental authority still exists, though challenged by every sort of old and young rebel.

"Preposterously Young"

It is the next inevitable experiment, predestined result of sick, precocious education, and the stimulus of speed machines, wireless, and telephones; but for the moment young women, precociously old, still live under the eyes of older women, preposterously young—their mothers; and because the mothers do not grow old quickly, while the daughters do, they are closer together than they have ever been.

Take a young modern mother of forty and a worldly-wise daughter of eighteen. The result is an intimacy that many people, especially mothers, consider ideal. "We're like sisters," the mothers say. "We're the greatest friends. We do the same things, see the same people."

It is true; but I wonder sometimes what the daughters feel about it when their mothers do not drop out or make room for them; go on playing tennis, go on dining and dancing in restaurants and night clubs, go on playing the most alluring and entertaining of all games in the world with young men, with the same young men who are, or should be, in love with the lovely daughters.

Like sisters? It sounds somehow rather fatuous. And sisters are often rivals. There is often no love lost between them. But the rivalry of two sisters is natural and fair.

The older of two girls has the advantage of experience, the younger the advantage of being new, and they are roughly on an equal footing. The question of authority does not enter, whereas in a rival who is a mother that is a very different affair.

For the mother who behaves like a sister remains a mother nevertheless, and can evoke the spectre of her ancient authority at any

moment, even nowadays, without being ridiculous.

Silly Bravado

I suspect that it is a nervous strain and a nuisance to the girl to have a mother who is even the most kind and devoted of sisters. I am certain that it must be very galling to her to have a mother who is a rival.

I do not wonder that she rebels, breaks away, tries to put a distance between them, and if purchased, asserts her independence by a show of silly bravado, and often gets into scrapes, sometimes tragic or sordid, with the young men who are so spelled by her mother's experienced friends.

One hears a good deal about the shameless depravity of the modern girl. Even the most careless modern mothers, the other type who are too busy to bother to be sisters, seem to be disturbed by it. You find groups of these energetic, much-occupied women, snatching moments between charity matinees and dinners to discuss the subject over cocktails.

I do not believe half I am told about the ugly misbehaviour. I know a lot of good girls and some bad girls. I find them honest, outspoken, gallant, nervous, and pathetic. Oh! very pathetic, some of them, especially the bad girls, and I am puzzled by the folly of their proclivities of depravity.

For they pretend to be much wilder and wicked than they are, and it is this, I think, that makes them different from the bad girls of the days of our mothers and grandmothers.

Too Intimate.

"Can one be depraved at nineteen?" I ask myself. "Can one be a lovely child, fresh as a rose, and yet have vicious habits?" No, not in the time. One can only pretend to be depraved, try to be depraved, imitate depravity. Then why the pretence and why the effort? That is what puzzles me.

I have asked these questions of a number of girls and I have had some answers. Here they are: "They think it fun to live dangerously."

The men are so apathetic nowadays.

They, the girls, think it more decent to throw themselves away on men who don't really care than to try to get husbands.

They read a lot and get discouraged and don't believe in anything any more, and so don't care what they do.

And this, the most candid: "They admire their mothers and their mothers' friends and want to be like them."

And this, the most disturbing: "You see, their mothers are too intimate to be stern, or too busy to be angry." (The speaker was a girl of nineteen.) "I remember my mother being absolutely furious with me once. It was such a relief. I felt safe, you know."

I think these answers are interesting and worth attention. They are honest, and though they may explain nothing, they reflect something of importance, a positive idea, the innocent reactions of over-stimulated youth to the times we live in, with its jazz, its movies, and all the rest; vulgar behaviour, an extraordinary collapse of good taste, combined with an ignorant pride, the incorrigible innocence of youth. It is this that is interesting. The children who go in for the shocking public display of their emotions do not think it indecent. They think it chic.

Air Heroes Who Gamble With Sleep

It would be difficult to acclaim too highly the feat of Mr. J. A. Morrison in flying to Capetown in less than five days, beating Miss Salaman's record by 15 hours 18 minutes. Everybody is thankful that his accident on landing, due to extreme exhaustion, was not more serious.

Yet regard for our heroic pilots should not blind us to the fact that our record Empire flights have developed into endurance tests in which the pilot's problem is "How long can I fly without crashing for want of sleep?"

The flights are magnificent personal adventures. But flying is no job for a fatigued-drugged man. Once I made four dawn flights after less than three hours' sleep in each case. On the fourth morning the car-spitting exhaust roar was as a soothing lullaby. For an instant I closed my tired eyes. The plane flew straight and steady at two thousand feet.

Dazed Men.

Again I closed my eyes. Terrible vibration. The engine was screaming its heart out. I had fallen forward in my harness and was in a

(Continued on Page 9.)



"I simply hate baby talk, but's the only way I can make him listen to reason."

LOCAL
INVESTITUREGOVERNMENT HOUSE
CEREMONY

BRILLIANT SCENE

The ballroom at Government House presented a brilliant scene this morning, when His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel, held his last investiture prior to proceeding to England on leave. The recipients of honours were Mrs. H. T. Greasy, M.B.E.; Messrs. Li Po-k'wai and Wong Kwong-tin. Certificates of Honour, and Mr. Abina Arculli, Insignia of an Associate Brother of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem.

The ceremony was witnessed by more than 200 guests, including officers of the Army, Navy and Air Force. Lady Peel preceded her husband to the ballroom, those present standing until she had taken her seat.

Then came His Excellency attended by his aide-de-camp, Capt. T. A. H. Colman, his Private Secretary, Mr. Taffon, and two Indian honorary aide-de-camp.

TRIBUTE TO MRS. GREASY.

As Mrs. Katherine Greasy, escorted by her husband, the Hon. Mr. H. T. Greasy, C.B.E. and Mr. G. P. de Martin, M.B.E., walked to the foot of the dais, His Excellency addressed her as follows: "It is a very real and a very great pleasure to me, Mrs. Greasy, to invest you to-day with the Insignia of a Member of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire."



Mrs. Katherine Greasy, who was invested with the M.B.E. this morning.

which His Majesty the King has been pleased to confer upon you in recognition of your public services in this Colony ever since you arrived here in 1924.

"Within a fortnight of your arrival you took over the Hon. General Secretaryship of the Ministering Children's League and Hongkong Women's Guild, acted as President a few months later and have been of the time, that you have been here. You have been a moving spirit of the League, and as a result of your untiring efforts over \$100,000 have been collected and distributed amongst various charities here and at home."

You have taken great personal interest in the Helena May Institute, and have devoted considerable time and energy to it. You have also identified yourself with the Girl Guides' Association."

"The whole of your service has been inspired by sympathy with and love of your fellows, and it is a great grief to us all that you will be leaving the Colony in two months' time. Your departure will leave a vacancy which will be very difficult to fill, but in going, you will leave behind you a fine record of service, and will carry away with you the regard and affection of all those who have come into contact with you."

"I congratulate you most sincerely on the honour which has been conferred upon you."

CHINESE HONOURED.

Messrs. Li Po-k'wai and Wong Kwong-tin next received Certificates of Honour. They were supported by the Hon. Mr. W. T. Southern, C.M.G., and the Hon. Mr. E. R. Haffar, C.M.G., C.B.E. Addressing these two gentlemen, His Excellency said: "I have great pleasure in presenting to you to-day in the name of His Majesty the King, the Certificates of Honour which were awarded to you by me in His Majesty's name on the King's Birthday last year. I regret that there has been so much delay in regard to the presentation, but there was some doubt as to whether there was to be a change in the design of the Badge, and this matter had to be settled first."

"The Certificates of Honour are given in recognition of loyal and valuable services rendered to the Colony and to the British Government. The number is limited, and therefore selection for them constitutes a distinct honour. You have both fully earned it."

"You have both held the office of Justice of the Peace for many years, and have been members of the Tung Wah Hospital Committee and the Po Leung Committee. You, Mr. Li Po-k'wai, have been a member of the District Watch

POLICE RESERVE

ORDERS FOR CURRENT WEEK

Orders by the Hon. Mr. T. H. King, Inspector General of Police state:

Chinese Company

Training Course.—Part 11.—All recruits will attend at the Chinese Company's Headquarters on Tuesday, May 3rd, at 5.30 p.m. for instruction. Inspection Parade.—All ranks of the Chinese Company will parade at Central Police Station on Wednesday, May 4th, for a general inspection of equipment etc. by the Company Commander. Fall in at 5.30 p.m. sharp under Sub-Inspector J. C. S. Pender. Dress.—White Uniform, Cap, with White Cover, Belt, Trachea, Waistbelt, Armband and Badge, "Pocket Policeman" and note-book to be carried. Those not in possession of uniform will attend in mufti. No members may be absent from this parade without leave from the Company Commander. The Equipment Officer will make it a point of being present. Recruits will attend.

Training Course.—Part 1.—All recruits of the Chinese Company will attend Central Police Station for Squad Drill on Thursday, May 5th, at 5.30 p.m. N. C. O. Class, All N. C. O. will attend the Chinese Company's Headquarters on Friday, May 6th, at 4.00 p.m. for examination under Mr. Pater. Son, P. P. T. S.

Indian Company

Training Course.—Part 11.—All members who have not passed Part 11 of Training Course should attend at the Chinese Company's Headquarters, 17, Queen's Road Central on Thursday, May 5th, 5.30 p.m.

Flying Squad

Special duties will be carried out by members of the Flying Squad on Tuesday and Monday, May 3rd and 4th. Members will fall in at Central Police Station at 5.15 p.m. on both days. Dress.—Khaki Uniform and Cap with Khaki Cover.

Reserve Emergency Unit

Defendu Class. In view of the Stand-by Orders issued, no Defendu Class will be held this week.

Motor Patrol. A motor patrol will be carried out on Friday, May 6th, by N. C. O. and Squad Leaders only. They will assemble outside Queen's Pier, at 5.15 p.m. Uniform optional. (Signed) D. L. KING, D.S.P.R.

SHOOTING OUTRAGE
IN INDIA.MIDNAPORE MAGISTRATE
ASSASSINATED

Calcutta, May 1. Whilst attending a District Board meeting, Mr. Douglas, the District Magistrate at Midnapore, was fired upon and seriously injured. The magistrate was fired at three times. A Bengali youth, found to be in possession of a revolver, has been arrested.

Succumbs to Injuries.

Later. The Midnapore magistrate, Mr. Douglas, has died from his wounds. *Reuter.*

Committee of the Tung Wah Hospital Advisory Committee, have been a member of the Permanent Board of Direction of the Po Leung Kuk since 1915, and were for a number of years Chairman of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce.

"You, Mr. Wong Kwong-tin, are a member of the Tung Wah Hospital Advisory Board, and have been for a number of years a Chinese representative on the Sanitary Board."

"On behalf of the Government, I thank you both for the great services which you have rendered, and congratulate you on the recognition which they have received."

MR. ARCULLI'S HONOUR.

Mr. Abbas Arculli, supported by Mr. Ho Kom-tong, C.B.E. and Mr. A. Morris, received the decoration of Associate Serving Brother of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem.

Addressing Mr. Arculli, H. E. the Governor said: "I have been asked to present to you on behalf of His Royal Highness the Duke of Cornwall, Grand Prior, and the Chapter General of the Order of St. John, the Insignia of an Associate Serving Brother, and I have much pleasure in doing so."

"You were appointed Superintendent of the Indian Division in 1925, and it has been owing to your fine example that that division has achieved such strength and efficiency. In 1931 you were promoted to the rank of Corps Officer. During the unfortunate railway accident at Shatin last year you rendered invaluable service, and in recognition of such service were awarded the 'Vellum of Thanks' of the Order."

"In recognition of your service with the Brigade, the Chapter General has now conferred upon you the rank of Associate Serving Brother of the Order, and I congratulate you on this recognition of your services."

At the conclusion of the investiture, the recipients of honours received the congratulations of their friends.

WATERLOO BRIDGE
SURPRISEHALF-PRICE OFFER
TO I.C.C.

Further impetus is given to the controversy surrounding Waterloo Bridge by a new scheme prepared by Sir E. Owen Williams, the well-known engineer.

He has designed a bridge on an entirely new plan and estimates that the total cost of the work would be £693,000, compared with £1,295,000 estimated by the London County Council.

This new scheme will renew the discussions as to the type of bridge which should be constructed to replace the present structure and as to the amount of money which should be expended on the project.

Sir Owen Williams was consulting civil engineer to the British Empire Exhibition of 1921 and has been responsible for several important construction works.

The new design provides for six lines of traffic and two footways, and Sir Owen has made a formal offer to the I.C.C. to demolish the present bridge, construct its successor according to his plans, maintain and ultimately demolish the temporary structure, at a total cost of £693,000, including all contingencies.

The Scheme.

"The bridge would be of reinforced concrete," said Sir Owen "and would be supported on single cylindrical columns placed on the sites of the existing piers."

"The underside of the bridge would be perfectly level, giving a clear roadway above, high water of 24 feet for its entire length, compared with the headway of 27 feet at the crown only of the arches of the existing bridge. The single row of cylindrical piers would be of 20 feet diameter, compared with the existing piers, which are 75 feet long by 20 feet thick."

"Special care has been taken in the planning of the bridge to guard against subsidence, the piers having been designed to take the proper pressures on London clay."

"I consider that round piers are eminently the most suitable for Waterloo Bridge, for the river is at a right angle there, and the water flows in all directions at the bend. The piers offer the same resistance to the water in whatever direction it is moving. Then, too, with round piers and with the underside of the bridge perfectly level, river traffic may pass under the bridge at any place, instead of being compelled to take the arches in the centre."

"Reinforced concrete has been chosen as the medium," he added "because it allows of reasonable cost, while, at the same time, is as durable as any other material. There is no other bridge, so far as I know, constructed on this principle, but I have made my plans with the fullest regard to all the factors peculiar to the site."

"Appropriate action" will be taken in connexion with the scheme," an official of the I.C.C. informed the *Morning Post*. This means that it will probably receive early consideration by the Improvements Committee of the Council, of which Sir Percy Simmons is Chairman.

ENJOYABLE CONCERT
ON SATURDAY.CHINA LIGHT AND POWER
CLUB'S ENTERPRISE.

A delightful concert of band, vocal, elocutionary and instrumental items was attended by nearly 200 people in the China Light and Power Recreation Club's premises at King's Park on Saturday night.

Among the principal items on the programme were numbers played by the band of H. M. S. Cornwall, under the baton of Bandmaster E. N. Williams. The assisting artists were Mrs. W. R. Fleming and Mr. Li Chor Chi (vocalists), Mr. John V. Braga (violinist) and Mr. S. A. Sweet (humorous items). Mr. W. R. Fleming was the accompanist.

The band, which was in fine form, rendered "L'Entrée Cor-diale," "Sanderson's songs," "Napolianna," "We'll Be Together Again," "Song of Happiness" and a clever "Musical Switch."

Mrs. W. R. Fleming's items, "I heard you go by" and "A Brown Bird Singing," were sung with considerable effect and were well received.

Mr. Li Chor Chi had bracketed numbers in each section of the programme. In the first half he sang "Elegio" and "Si vous Favez Compris," and in the second half "One fleeting hour" and "I hear a thrush at eve."

Mr. J. V. Braga's violin solos and Mr. S. A. Sweet's humorous recitations also appealed greatly to the audience, who were loth to let them leave the stage.

After the concert, a dance was held in the clubhouse, the music being supplied by the band from the Cornwall.

LESSON SERMON.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST,
SCIENTIST, HONGKONG

"Everlasting Punishment" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, yesterday.

The Golden Text was—"Brethren, if a man be overtaken in a fault, ye which are spiritual, restore such an one in the spirit of meekness." (Gal. 6:1.)

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible—"A certain man had two sons, and the younger of them said to his father, Father, give me the portion of goods that falleth to me. And he divided unto them his living. And not many days after the younger son gathered all together, and took his journey into a far country, and there wasted his substance with riotous living. And when he came to himself, he said, How many hired servants of my father's have bread enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger! I will arise and go to my father, and will say unto him, Father, I have sinned against heaven, and before thee." (Luke 15:11-13, 17, 18.)

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy—"Fear of punishment never made man truly honest. Moral courage is requisite to meet the wrong and to proclaim the right. But how shall we reform the man who has more animal than moral courage, and who has not the true idea of good? Through human consciousness, convince the mortal of his mistake in seeking material means for gaining happiness. Reason is the most active human faculty. Let that inform the sentiments and awaken the man's dormant sense of moral obligation, and by degrees he will learn the nothingness of the pleasures of human sense and the grandeur and bliss of a spiritual sense, which silences the material or corporeal." (p. 327.)

CONSTABLE DIES

JEWALA SINGH SUCCEUMS
TO BULLET WOUNDS

Police Constable Jewala Singh died at the Kowloon Hospital yesterday, victim of the shooting affray which occurred at Sham-shui-po early in April.

Early on the morning of the 5th of last month, Jewala Singh, who was attached to the local district station, was on patrol duty, when he had occasion to stop a Chinese in Boundary Road with the view to a search. As he stooped to run his hands over the man's clothing, the suspect snatched the constable's revolver from his holster, and pulled the trigger twice. One of the bullets perforated his intestines, the other fractured his thigh bone. After the attack, the assailant escaped, taking the revolver with him.

The constable was in a serious condition when admitted to hospital, and succumbed yesterday in spite of all medical care.

The Funeral.

The funeral of Jewala Singh has been arranged for to-day. The remains will be taken over by launch from Kowloon to Hongkong and will be landed at the wharf just East of the new Police Station, Wanchai.

The funeral will be accorded full Police honours and will pass the Monument at 2.45 p.m.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE.

Sunday, April 24.—Mr. & Mrs. Shister, lunch at Government House.

Monday, April 25.—Lady Peel attended the Helena May Institute. His Excellency the Chancellor presided at the meeting of the Court of the University.

Wednesday, April 27.—His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel, accompanied by His Excellency's personal staff, had tea with the Hon. Dr. & Mrs. Kotevall.

His Excellency and Lady Peel dined with Commodore & Mrs. Walker at Admiralty Bungalow.

Thursday, April 28.—His Excellency the Governor presided at the meeting of the Executive Council.

Friday, April 29.—Lady Peel presided at the annual meeting of the Ministering Children's League which was held at Government House.

Representing His Excellency the Governor, Captain T. A. H. Colman attended the reception given by Consul General and Mrs. Yoshida in honour of the birthday of His Majesty the Emperor of Japan.

The following lunch at Government House: Group Captain Jackson, Captain Drew, Colonel & Mrs. Saville, Flight Lieutenant Knockner, Mr. A. G. Clarke.

Saturday, April 30.—His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel lunch with Mr. & Mrs. Dyer at Happy Valley Race Course, and subsequently attended the Fifth Extra Race Meeting at Happy Valley.

RADIO
BROADCASTREPLAY OF "DELICIOUS"
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5-7 p.m. Chinese Programme.

7-11.30 p.m. (Approx.) European Programme.

7-9.30 p.m. A Programme of Victor and H.M.V. Records.

7 p.m. Stock Quotations. Mail Notice, etc.

7.03-7.18 p.m.

Suite Française (Foulds).

The Band of H. M. Coldstream Guards. B2751/B2752.

7.18-8 p.m. A Concert.

Violin Solo-Ruralia Hungarica.

Molto Vivace (Dohnanyi).

Violin Solo-Ruralia Hungarica.

Presto (Dohnanyi) Fritz Kreisler. 1428.

Song-The Cuckoo (Lohmann).

Song-Little Brown Owl (Sanderson).

Mavis Bennett (Soprano). B2199.

Violin and Piano Duet-Sonata.

No. 1 (Debussy) May Harrison and Arnold. C1749/C1750.

Song-Chorus, Gentlemen (Lohr).

Song-Off to Philadelphia (Haynes).

Percy Henning (Baritone). B2503.

Piano Solo-Sonata in A Major (Scriabin).

Piano Solo-Escossaise (Beethoven).

Mitscha Levitzki. E547.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.5-8.20 p.m. Hawaiian Music.

Hawaiian Waltz Medley.

Kiliana Waltz. Frank Ferera and John K. Paulini (Guitars). B2369.

Pearl of Hawaii.

Love Dream of Lida Lu. Frank Ferera and John K. Paulini (Guitars). B2316.

8.20-8.45 p.m. Variety.

Humorous Song-Moscow.

Song-This is Heaven.

Gracie Fields. B3241.

Song Just Like a Butterfly.

Song-Gonna Get a Girl. Melville Gideon (Baritone). B2577.

Orchestra-The Singing Fool-Selection.

De Groot and His Orchestra. B2094.

Humorous Song-Does my Sweetie Care for Me? Leslie Sarony. B2351.

8.45-9.30 p.m.

Selections by the Hollywood Bowl Orchestra.

The Sleeping Beauty-Ballet Suite (Technikovsky). B871/B872.

Carnaval Overture (Dvorak). B868.

Islamey (Tone Picture) (Balakirev). B870.

The Fire Dance (de Falla).

Fantastic Symphony-March to the Scaffold (Berlioz). B863.

9.30-11.30 p.m. (Approx.)

Relay of "Delicious" from the King's Theatre by courtesy of the Management.

11.30 p.m. (Approx.) Rugby Mid-day Press News.

11.35 p.m. Close Down.

All records in the above Europe Programme are kindly supplied by Messrs. S. Moutrie and Co.

SCHOOL CONCERT.

A BIG AUDIENCE AT
KING'S COLLEGE

Success attended the second annual concert held by the students of King's College on Saturday evening in the Great Hall, which was taxed to its capacity by the large audience. Another performance was given last night, with the addition of a Chinese comedy entitled "The Fool Assistants," which was written and directed by Cheung Chun-cheung.

The programme, which covered 14 items, opened with a bright overture by a Chinese orchestra composed of Ip Tai-hing, Li Hing-lan, Li Chiu-yin and Chan Chok-ho. This was followed by Mr. Ng Yi-cheong's rendering of Malay songs.

An English Pantomime (Mrs. Jarley's waxwork) taken from "Old Curiosity Shop" and produced by the students of Class 4A, under the able direction of Miss M. D. Birt, was well received, the two wax model boxers giving rise to much laughter.

An English play, "The Invisible Duke," a modern burlesque melodrama, had its settings in an astrologer's laboratory. Yee King-kwong, as one of the clowns, played his part well, supported by Wong Yui-shung, Chik Sui-cho, Lam On-ping, Chung Hon-ki and Li Hon-chit, all of whom added much to the entertainment value of the play.

Lo Hing-hing, the head prefect of the school, was deservedly applauded for his violin solo, and Henry Yung's rendering of a selected English song was equally successful.

The programme was brought to a close with a harmonica duet by Kwok Lung-kwong and Wong Ting-shu, this item proving to be one of the most popular of the evening.

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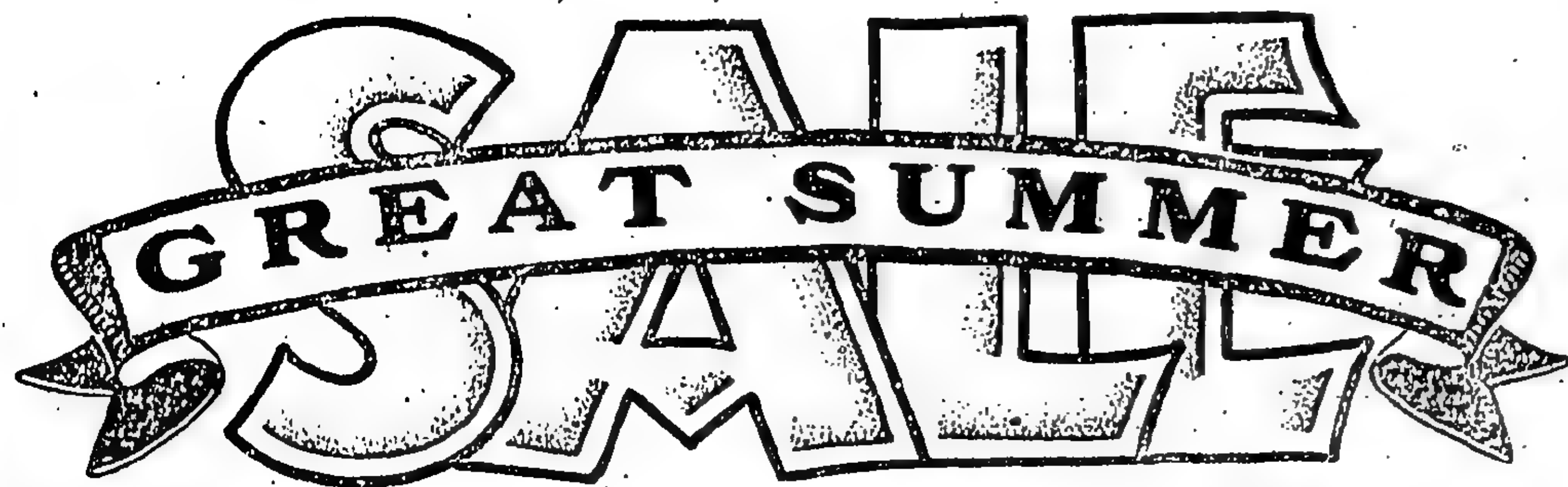
Shanghai, May 1.

May Day passed off quietly in Shanghai and at Nanking Labour

Day also passed quietly with a complete absence of demonstrations. Not even flags were visible. Tokyo, May 1.

Except for a few minor scuffles resulting in about 800 arrests and half a dozen being injured, May Day passed off quietly amid the customary demonstration under strict police surveillance.—*Reuter.*

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SHANGHAI RACES.

DALLAS RIDES THREE WINNERS

The Shanghai Jockey Club's Spring meeting opened on Saturday in fine weather and before a large attendance. There were 12 races on the card and big fields in each event. Dallas piloted three winners home, carrying off the riding honours. Pote Hunt and McHain rode two winners each.

The following results are published by courtesy of the Hongkong Club:

Chinwangtao Cup.

Jupiter (Harris)	1.
Heaven Dragon (Willie Henderson)	2.
Thistledown (McIntner)	3.

Time, 2.45.

Nanking Cup.

Whiteplains (Pote Hunt)	1.
Hurricane Eve (Needa)	2.
Bendochy (Stirjeski)	3.

Time, 1.31.

Hongkong Plate.

Hurry On (Dallas)	1.
Royal Bee (House)	2.
Glinapp (Needa)	3.

Time, 1.50.

The Griffins Plate.

Amban (Dallas)	1.
Black Velvet (Encarnacion)	2.
Lucebay (Clark)	3.

Time, 1.32.

Tongshan Cup.

Ardah (Parkin)	1.
Arlano (McLain)	2.
Fuchs (Rilber)	3.

Time, 1.35.

Lins Cup.

Zeta (McLain)	1.
Greystone (Parkin)	2.
Salvage (Marshall)	3.

Time, 3.3.

Chinese Cup and Criterion Stakes.	
Alligator (Pote Hunt)	1.
Schoolboy (Malland)	2.
The Dour Bird (McGann)	3.
Mister Cinders (Hothe)	4.

Time, 2.5.

Pau Ma Ting Cup.

Castle Ribon (McLain)	1.
Icy Morn (Sokloff)	2.
Twelve Bore (Dallas)	3.

Time, 2.7.

Kiangsu Cup.

Bonnie Lad (Encarnacion)	1.
Busby (Noodt)	2.
Wheatcroft (Pote Hunt)	3.

Time, 2.55.

Eclipse Stakes.

Opera Eve (Noodt)	1.
Glenquich (Dallas)	2.
Pharlap (W. H. S. Davis)	3.

Time, 2.43.

Twingtao Cup.

Greentiff (Marshall)	1.
Comradeship (H. Collaco)	2.
Sonjoy (Wade)	3.

Time, 1.49.

Wei Hal Wei Cup.

Glenfarg (Dallas)	1.
Kentucky (House)	2.
Highland Prince (Encarnacion)	3.

Time, 2.23.

HOME FOOTBALL

EVERTON WIN LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP

EVERTON'S win over the Wanderers on Saturday gave them the League Championship, and they are the second team to have won the championships of the First and Second Divisions in successive years. The Arsenal played four reserves against Middlesbrough, but are now virtually certain to finish second.

Leeds United and Wolverhampton are sure of returning to the First Division.

Bourton, the Coventry City centre-forward, heads the season's league scorers with a total of 49, which breaks the existing record for the Third (Southern) Division.—Our Own Correspondent.

The whole of the results, with the exception of the Scottish Second Division, were enabled by Reuter.

FIRST DIVISION.

Arsenal	5	Middlesbrough	0
Birmingham	4	Chelsea	0
Blackburn	2	Aston Villa	0
Blackpool	2	Huddersfield	0
Derby	1	Liverpool	2
Everton	1	Bolton	0
Manchester C.	1	Wednesday	2
Portsmouth	0	Leicester	1
Sheffield U.	0	Newcastle	0
Sunderland	2	West Ham	0
West Brom.	5	Grimby	6

SECOND DIVISION.

Barnsley	1	Charlton	4
Bradford C.	0	Preston N.E.	1
Bristol C.	2	Manchester U.	1
Bury	2	Notts Forest	2
Leeds	1	Southampton	0
Millwall	2	Burnley	0
Notts County	3	Wolves	1
Oldham	1	Tottenham	2
Plymouth	4	Bradford	1
Port Vale	2	Chesterfield	1
Swansea	1	Stoke	1

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH).

Brentford	4	Bournemouth	2
Cardiff	0	Norwich	2
Coventry	5	Watford	0
Exeter	0	Crystal Pal.	1
Fulham	3	Bristol R.	2
Gillingham	2	Mansfield	0
Luton	3	Brighton	2
Northampton	4	Swindon	1
Reading	5	Clapton O.	0
Southend	1	Torquay	2
Thames	3	Queen's P. R.	2

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH).

Barrow	4	Stockport	2
Chester	4	Carlisle	1
Darlington	2	Donsenster	3
Gateshead	—	Tranmere	—
Hull	3	Southport	0
Hartlepool	—	Crewe	—
Hull	3	Acerington	0
Lincoln	0	Wrexham	0
New Brighton	3	Rotherham	1
Walsall	—	York	—

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

(First)

Kilmarnock	2	Rangers	4
Motherwell	3	Clyde	0
Partick	0	Celtic	2

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

(Second)

Edinburgh	4	Dunfermline	1
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INDIAN CRICKET TOURISTS.

LAL SINGH TOP SCORER IN TWO INNINGS

London Apr. 30.

The All-India XI commenced their England tour yesterday with a match at Pelsham against Mr. Scott's XI.

When the game was resumed today, Mr. Scott's XI were dismissed for 157 runs. Ghulam Mohamed was in great form with the ball, and claimed six wickets for 42 runs.

Lal Singh was again top-scorer for the tourists, the second innings realising 104 runs for nine wickets when a declaration was made. He scored 47.

This left Mr. Scott's XI very little time to make the required runs for victory. They made an attempt to do so, and when stumps were drawn had lost five wickets for 52 runs.

The match was therefore left drawn.—Reuter.

AMERICAN BASEBALL.

"BABE" RUTH HITS SIXTH HOME RUN

New York, May 1.

The last series of matches, which saw "Babe" Ruth hitting his sixth home run of the season, resulted as follows:

National League.

Philadelphia	8	Brooklyn	7
Boston	7	New York	4
Chicago	5	St. Louis	3

American League.

New York	6	Boston	3
Cleveland	10	Chicago	7
Washington	2	Philadelphia	1
St. Louis	3	Detroit	4

—Reuter.

MARATHON RECORD.

SMASHED BY JAPANESE AT TOKYO

Tokyo, Apr. 30.

Two runners smashed the existing international Marathon record at an athletic meeting here this afternoon which served as an Olympic Games try-out.

Running on a paved surface, Fanji Yahagi accomplished the distance in 2 hours, 31 mins, 31 secs., while Seiji Takahashi was 56 seconds behind him.—Reuter.

THE DAVIS CUP.

AMERICA BEATS CANADA BY FIVE MATCHES

Washington, Apr. 29.

The United States eliminated Canada from the Davis Cup competition today, winning the doubles match in three straight sets with the greatest of ease.

The United States were represented by W. Allison and J. Van Ryn, Canada by Rainville and Wright. The Americans won 6-2, 6-1, 6-2.—Reuter.

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GOOD SPORT AT RACES

GLEANEAGLES TO THE FORE

There was excellent sport at the Extra Race Meeting on Saturday, of which an outstanding feature was the first running of Gleanegles in the Aggregate Stakes, thanks to the jockeyship of Frost, who, however, did not have a very good day. Mr. G. U. da Roza headed the list of riders with two wins, two seconds and a third. Blue Plane, in winning the Mount Gough Handicap, "B" Class, paid backers over \$160. Results:

1. Mount Parker Handicap—Winner \$500. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies, "A" Class. One and a Quarter Miles.
A. M. L. Soares's Sadko 155 lb (Mr. A. W. da Roza) 1
Dynasty's Hetman 105 lb (Mr. G. U. da Roza) 2
L. T. F.'s Gold Ring 145 lb (Mr. S. N. Pan) 3

Time: 2 mins. 51.1/5 secs.
Won by 3 lengths; a length.
Part-mutuel:—Winner \$12.10; Places, 1st \$5.50; 2nd \$5.30.

Four Starters.
2. Mount Davies Stakes—Winner \$500. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China Ponies, "B" Class. One and a Quarter Miles. Weight Season. Winners barred. Weight 145 lb 2 lb penalty for every \$200 won ten races anywhere at any time. Jockeys, 2 lb penalty for each race won; maximum penalty 10 lb. No Whips or Spurs allowed. One Mile. Rustica's Kate 155 lb (Mr. A. A. R. Botelho) 1
Samson's Alexander 145 lb (Mr. S. N. Pan) 2
L. T. F.'s Gold Ring 151 lb (Mr. Chanson) 3

Time: 2 mins. 08 secs.
Won by 2 lengths; 3 lengths.
Part-mutuel:—Winner \$11; Places, 1st \$5.80; 2nd \$5; 3rd \$7.70.

Eleven Starters.
3. Tai-Mo-Shan Handicap: First Division—Winner \$450. Second \$225. Third \$125. For China Ponies, "D" Class. Six Furlongs.
Mrs. Dunbar's Siwah 155 lb (Mr. F. M. L. Soares) 1
Li & Li's Mistletoe 140 lb (Mr. Ip Kul-ying) 2
Lo & Liang's Pure Sun 147 lb (Mr. G. U. da Roza) 3

Time: 1 min. 32.1/5 secs.
Won by 3/4 length; 3 lengths.
Part-mutuel:—Winner \$56.20; Places, 1st \$18.90; 2nd \$16.30; 3rd \$27.70.

Fourteen Starters.
4. Tai-Mo-Shan Handicap: Second Division—Winner \$450. Second \$225. Third \$125. For China Ponies, "D" Class. Six Furlongs.
Samson's Cebu 151 lb (Mr. S. N. Pan) 1
L. T. F.'s Gold Bar 142 lb (Mr. S. N. Pan) 2
Peter Young's Buchanan 140 lb (Mr. Ip Kul-ying) 3
Seth's Until Then 140 lb (Mr. Butler) 4

• Dead Heat.
Time: 1 min. 32.2/5 secs.
Won by a neck; 3/4 length.
Part-mutuel:—Winner \$19.80; Places, 1st \$7.60; 2nd \$10.20; 3rd \$11.40 (Until Then), \$7.10 (Buchanan).

Fourteen Starters.
5. Charters Towers Handicap—Winner \$500. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Australian Ponies. From the Two Mile Post Once Round and In (About One Mile 171 Yards). Evening Star later disqualified for crossing.
Official Result:
L. T. F.'s Kileen 160 lb (Mr. Frost) 1
Kwong Sai's Wotin 165 lb (Mr. Proulx) 2
Harriman & Li's Gold Digger 130 lb (Mr. Butler) 3

Time: 2 mins. 06.1/5 secs.
Won by 3/4 length; 4 lengths.
Part-mutuel:—Winner \$26.80; Places, 1st \$6.80; 2nd \$6.80; 3rd \$6.40.

Nine Starters.
6. Third Aggregate Stakes—Value \$750. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies. One Mile.
L. Dunbar's Gleanegles 163 lb (Mr. Frost) 1
Dynasty's King's Bounty 148 lb (Mr. G. U. da Roza) 2
L. Reddy's Bag & Baggage 150 lb (Dr. Reddy) 3

Time: 1 min. 50.2/5 secs.
Won by 3 lengths; the same.
Part-mutuel:—Winner \$40.40; Places, 1st \$5.10; 2nd \$5.10; 3rd \$5.10.

Six Starters.
7. Mount Parker Handicap—Winner \$500. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China Ponies, "C" Class. One and a Quarter Miles.
Harriman & Li's Punch 140 lb (Mr. S. N. Pan) 1
Lowcock & Lee's Elstro 155 lb (Mr. S. Y. Liang) 2
Y. T. Fung's Indiana 153 lb (Mr. Y. T. Fung) 3

Time: 2 mins. 30.3/5 secs.
Won by 3 lengths; short head.
Part-mutuel:—Winner \$19; Places, 1st \$9; 2nd \$43.20; 3rd \$16.30.

Seventeen Starters.
8. "The Hunchback's" Plate—Winner \$400. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies. Subscription Gift. First of this Club of this Season. Two miles barred. Weight 145 lb 2 lb. Penalty for every \$200 or part thereof won in stakes. Jockey Allowance. Seven Furlongs.
Prince's Lucky Prince 140 lb (Mr. G. U. da Roza) 1
Rain's The Rainstorm 140 lb (Mr. Ip Kul-ying) 2
Samson's Valley Hall 153 lb (Mr. F. M. L. Soares) 3

Time: 1 min. 51.3/5 secs.
Won by a length; the same.
Part-mutuel:—Winner \$10.60; Places, 1st \$5.70; 2nd \$10.30; 3rd \$7.

Five Starters.
9. Mount Gough Handicap—Winner \$400. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies, "E" Class. Seven Furlongs.
Wong Lan-kam's Blue Plane 140 lb (Mr. S. Y. Liang) 1
Kangaroo's Kanpar 140 lb (Mr. S. Y. Liang) 2

Time: 1 min. 51.3/5 secs.
Won by 3 lengths; the same.
Part-mutuel:—Winner \$10.60; Places, 1st \$5.70; 2nd \$10.30; 3rd \$7.

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Won by 3 lengths; the same.
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AIR HEROES WHO GAMBLE WITH SLEEP

(Continued from Page 6.)

power dive, with the nose of the machine headed straight for a wood that leaped up at a paralyzing speed. I thought the wings would drop off when I pulled out, but they held.

Intending to rest my eyes for a second, I had dropped, in slumber, well over a thousand feet. I wonder how many inexplicable crashes have been caused by a few seconds' sleep?

A full day's flying is tiring. Five, six, or seven days' flying, with a few snatched hours of comfortable rest, is dangerous agony. The temptation to sleep, and the difficulty of resisting it, must be experienced to be understood.

A dazed man can cruise along safely, but the tasks of landing, or of pulling off a forced landing, assume added dangers.

One factor that contributes to the amazing success of small lowered planes in capturing records that lie outside their province, is the amazing efficiency of cheap English single, two, and three-seater aeroplanes.

But a machine used on an Empire flight should have two pilots, and be equipped for sending and receiving wireless messages. Our amphibian should stop only for refuelling. Otherwise it should fly incessantly night and day, the co-pilots refreshed in turn by a full amount of sleep.

If the engines can be attended to in flight, so much the better. Eventually they will be housed in the hull. Some of the earlier types of flying machines had a central engine from which all the wings were driven. Another objective is a hull that will stand the pounding of heavy seas in case of forced landing.

Rome, Apr. 30.
Italian swimmers are now learning the new under water sport of chasing and spearing fish. Japanese visitors to the island of Ichia in the Gulf of Naples, have introduced. —Renter.

Heard's The Wind 155 lb (Mr. Proulx) 2
Time: 1 min. 51.3/5 secs.
Won by a length; short head.
Part-mutuel:—Winner \$16.70; Places, 1st \$37.10; 2nd \$15; 3rd \$8.60.

Twelve Starters.
10. High West Handicap—Winner \$500. Second \$275. Third \$175. For China Ponies, "B" Class. From the Two Mile Post Once Round and In (About One Mile 171 Yards).
Tally Ho's Valorous 162 lb (Mr. S. N. Pan) 1
D. J. Lewis's Tortoise 140 lb (Mr. S. Y. Liang) 2
Li & Li's Don 150 lb (Mr. Ip Kul-ying) 3

Time: 2 mins. 14.1/5 secs.
Won by 3 lengths; a neck.
Part-mutuel:—Winner \$33.50; Places, 1st \$10.30; 2nd \$12.30; 3rd \$7.40.

Ten Starters.
CASH SWEEP RESULTS.

No. 8 Race 1. \$1,146.60
No. 51 327.60
No. 201 163.80
Unplaced runner (\$50), No. 108.

No. 377 Race 2. \$1,075.20
No. 98 307.20
No. 439 159.60
Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 204, 53, 344, 420, 8, 369, 141, 170.

No. 21 Race 3. \$1,258.60
No. 459 359.60
No. 75 179.80
Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 555, 472, 214, 213, 105, 157, 408, 324, 277, 447, 345.

No. 653 Race 4. \$1,489.60
No. 624 425.60
No. 323 106.40
No. 216 106.40

• Dead heat.
Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 655, 475, 259, 504, 408, 10, 88, 415, 315, 494.

No. 440 Race 5. \$1,694
No. 564 484
No. 604 242
Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 419, 499, 314, 241, 642, 70.

No. 136 Race 6. \$3,093.60
No. 174 1,029.60
No. 325 614.80
Unplaced runners (\$100 each), Nos.: 239, 371, 310.

No. 681 Race 7. \$1,890
No. 301 270
No. 507 270
Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 700, 742, 241, 656, 123, 818, 127, 685, 44, 30, 792, 602, 81, 708.

No. 592 Race 8. \$1,814.40
No. 22 518.40
No. 30 250.20
Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 584, 472, 627, 528, 774, 105, 411, 614, 79, 600, 777, 734.

No. 152 Race 9. \$2,093.40
No. 174 573.40
No. 67 280.20
Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 824, 438, 544, 182, 883, 607, 40, 751, 74.

No. 554 Race 10. \$2,317
No. 484 602
No. 324 331
Unplaced runners (\$50 each), Nos.: 682, 761, 620, 740, 578, 894, 714.

CINEMA SCREENINGS.

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

Janet Gaynor and Charles Farrell, most notable of screen lovers, are to be seen together again to-day in "Delicious," new Fox musical romance at the King's Theatre. The film features six George Gershwin melodies, denoting the first time that the entire musical score for a motion picture.

Unlike "Sunny Side Up" and "High Society Blues," initial musical success of the famous pair, "Delicious" presents no song numbers strictly as such. Each melody in the picture is skillfully woven into the body of the drama in such a way that the action of the story is never stopped.

Briefly, the plot of the drama revolves about the experiences of Janet Gaynor as a Scotch immigrant in the steerage of a large liner coming to America, and her adventures after she gets into the country illegally. Romance enters her life when she makes friends with a troupe of Russian entertainers on board the boat, and is made love to by their leader, a poet-musician, portrayed by Paul Roulien, handsome newcomer to the screen from the South American stage.

Charles Farrell, sportsman returning from European polo conquests, also make the acquaintance of the watchful little steerage wail and soon enters into active competition for her love.

El Brendel, as Farrell's valet, adds much to the gaiety of each situation by his incessant clowning. For a sweetheart, he has Merna Roberti, whose beauty makes her screen debut. Other players in the large cast include Virginia Cherrill, Olive Tell, Lawrence O'Sullivan, Mike Auer, Margie Munsell and Jeanette Gerna.

David Butler, who directed "Sunny Side Up," also directed "Delicious," which is from an original screen story by Guy Bolton.

Mind-Reading Act at Queen's.

Anything savouring of mystery always intrigues the imagination, and there promises to be plenty of mystery in the act of Aleko and Paul when the two mysterious Egyptians who are appearing on Wednesday night at the Queen's Theatre to present their thought-reading and mental telepathy act. They do a good many things which naturally seem quite impossible, but they do it all to the satisfaction of the audiences. All we doubt this sort of thing are especially asked to attend the performances and judge for themselves whether thought transference is a fact or not.

"Kept Husbands."

"Rich women marry poor men for happiness," declares Dorothy

Mackall, film star, and wealthy woman. Miss Mackall was not referring to herself, however, but to the part she plays in her most dramatic entertainment talkie to date, "Kept Husbands," a Radio Pictures offering due on Wednesday at the Queen's Theatre.

"The newest rights of woman and one of the most popular, most frequently exercised, is the—shall we say—purchase?—of a husband who is poor on the market because he is poor," she adds.

"The poor-man-rich-girl combination does not occur solely because poor men are the only ones in the market for rich girls. Other men are purked for rich girls, but the rich girl prefers the chaste, but the rich girl prefers the right sort of poor man because, generally speaking, he is unspoiled."

"Things have changed in this respect, naturally. In past decades, people talked about such marriages. Men who became 'kept husbands' lost self-respect. Proud men wouldn't make such matches. And finally poor men were not polished. Now the wealthy girl may find among them willing candidates, proud, of good family, intelligent, polished, college graduates, even, as in my picture, athletic heroes."

"Kept Husbands" an original story by Louis Sarecky, has an exceptional strong supporting cast as well as a novel and punchy plot. Supporting a novel and punchy plot. Supporting a novel and punchy plot. Supporting a novel and punchy plot.

"To-night or Never"

Long rehearsals, usually necessary before a talking picture goes into production, were dispensed with in the case of "To-night or Never," the Samuel Goldwyn production at the Central Theatre to-day.

This was possible only because most of the members of the cast, with the exception of Gloria Swanson, the star, had already played their roles in the New York staged production of this romantic comedy which was the last production of the late David Belasco.

Melvyn Douglas, who plays opposite Miss Swanson, Ferdinand Gottschalk, Warburton Gable, Robert Greig and Greta Meyer, now appearing in the picture version of "To-night or Never," a United Artists picture, all were selected by Belasco for the original production and were retained by Mr. Goldwyn.

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SANITARY BOARD ELECTION.

DR. LI SHU-FAN STATES POLICY

Dr. Li Shu-fan, candidate for the Sanitary Board, has issued the following statement of his policy:—
My aim is to make Hongkong—a by that I include Kowloon and the New Territories—a healthier place to live in. I have as my watchword, "Healthy homes in a healthy colony."

Although situated just within the Tropics, Hongkong, I am convinced, can be made as free from disease and epidemics as any well-regulated city in the West. Take tuberculosis, for instance: It is the disease amongst infectious diseases in Hongkong which is causing by far the most deaths, yet it is now definitely in check in England, and the figures there are showing a decline. It is my conviction that the same can be done for Hongkong.

I maintain that no person ought to be the victim of a preventable disease. If a disease can be prevented by the exercise of ordinary care and proper sanitary precautions, then it is the duty of the Health Authorities to instruct residents as to what constitutes ordinary care, and to provide the necessary sanitary precautions.

I am therefore wholeheartedly in favour of health propaganda conducted regularly and systematically, with the object of guiding the public in health matters, and especially of educating the lower classes in the rudiments of sanitary living in the hope of obtaining their co-operation. I would stress the necessity for this, as however stringent ordinances and by-laws may be, the officers to enforce them cannot be present everywhere. At any rate I am in favour of intelligent education rather than stringent regulation.

It is the co-operation of the masses that we need in order to abolish the wide-spread evil of spitting in public, to prevent the dumping of dead bodies, to prevail on the people to surrender the privilege of exemption from registration of deaths in the New Territories, to notify infectious diseases, and to submit to isolation with proper amenities.

My experience as a medical practitioner here and as Commissioner of Health in Canton, has given me an insight into the living conditions of the people, and it has taught me that they are not incorrigible.

It is primarily the poor and ignorant that we have to deal with, because no health measure is effective without their co-operation; because it is ultimately through them that it is determined whether epidemics will arise, and whether the better homes will have to bear the onslaught of infection. In short, the standard of health prevailing in the slum tenements in the back streets of Hongkong will be the determining factor of the standard of health of the Colony.

Mosquitoes and flies are two pests which I believe more could be done to eliminate. There is a child welfare. The Society for the Protection of Children and the new Government Welfare Centre in Wanchai are performing pioneer work, but there is ample scope for extending such activities.

My opinion has been sought in regard to the proposal—which I understand has been under the consideration of the Government for the past two years—for the creation of a Health Board in addition to the existing Sanitary Board, (but with its activities greatly curtailed) or in substitution for the Sanitary Board. I am not prepared to give a considered judgment without the necessary data, which alone would enable me to form an opinion as to the advantages and disadvantages of such a scheme. I venture to believe that my practical experience gained as Commissioner of Public Health in Canton may stand me in good stead in the consideration of this important problem. Whether the Health Board will materialise or not, I am of the opinion that closer liaison ought to exist between the medical and the sanitary authorities who have, after all, the same end in view, namely, the good health of the Colony.

A question has been put to me by a representative of a local paper as to what I had achieved while performing the duties of Commissioner of Public Health in Canton. I was responsible for the following health and other measures:

- (1) Segregation of lepers.
- (2) Registration of Births and Deaths.
- (3) Registration of Midwives.
- (4) Registration of Doctors and Chemists.
- (5) Improvement of scavenging and conservancy services.
- (6) The organisation of the Bacteriological, Chemical, and Analytical Departments.
- (7) Introduction of quarantine measures.

I do not wish to take special credit for these measures, as I happened to be the first Commissioner of Public Health in Canton, and the lot naturally fell on me to introduce them.

Finally, I should like to say that the special problems of Kowloon have my sympathy. The residents of Kowloon and the New Territories will find me ready to listen to any representations that they may bring forward, and to join them in tackling any problem which might be peculiar to their districts. As a medical man, I make no distinction as regards physical boundaries: I have patients on both sides of the harbour. When the late Dr. Sun Yat-sen asked me in 1911 to undertake health work for a period of two years in Canton, I did not hesitate, although I was primarily a Hongkong man, born and bred here, with all my interest here. When it is a call to fight suffering and disease my duty is clear.

TRAGEDY AT NICE.

DEATH OF FORMER WAR UNDER-SECRETARY

Nice, May 1.
An election tragedy occurred today when the former Under-Secretary for War, Signor Ossola, who was hurrying to an election meeting in a motor-car, crashed over a precipice and fell 150 feet below the road.

Signor Ossola was killed instantly, whilst two ladies who were with him were injured.

Reuter.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Sanitary Board Election

(To the Editor, Hongkong Telegraph.)

Sir,—In his letter which appeared in your issue of this morning, Mr. M. K. Lo takes up the cudgels on behalf of my opponent. With one part of his letter I am in full accord, namely that the public will be the final judge as to which candidate it prefers, and with their decision I, at least, shall be content.

Mr. Lo's letter is frankly an *ex parte* statement. With the imputation which he makes on the public spiritedness of the Kowloon Residents' Association, I am not concerned to deal. The record of public service rendered by the Association is so well known that Mr. Lo's attempt to extract from their statement and mine a meaning which they will certainly not bear to the electorate generally will hardly benefit his cause.

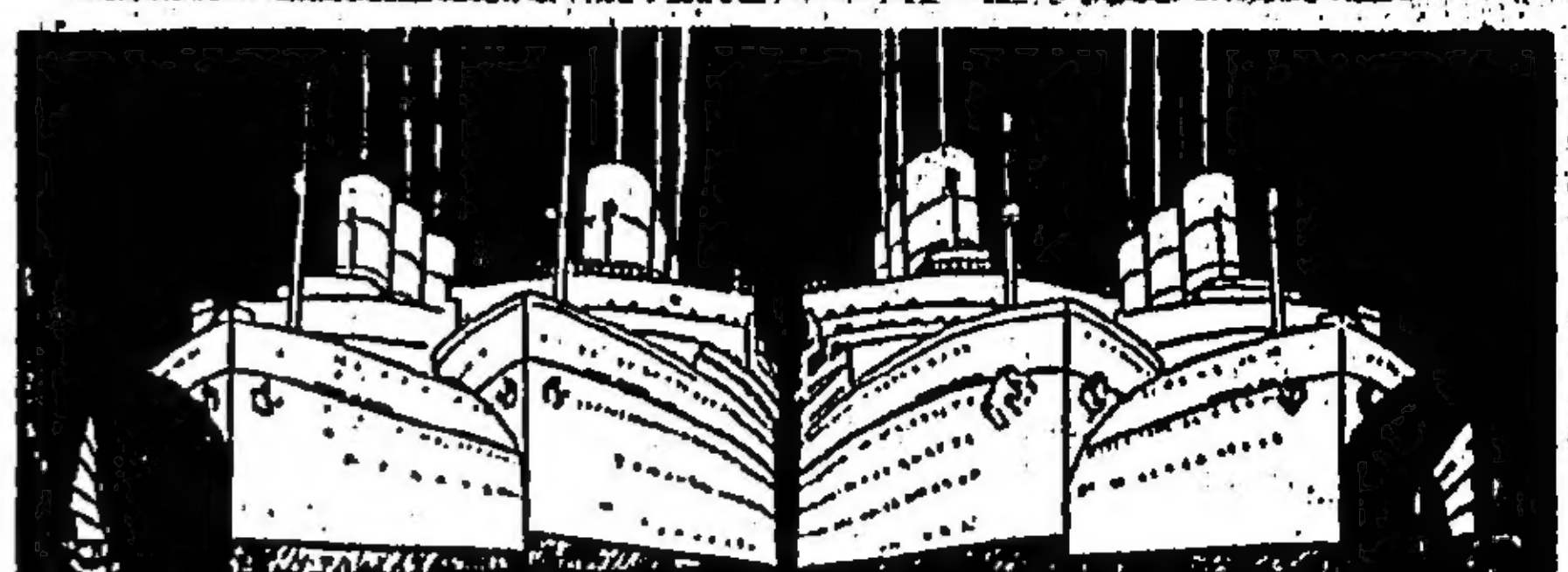
I wish however, to reply to his charge that I am standing primarily in the interests of a section of the community only and that the interests of the Colony as a whole will come second. With this supposed attitude of mine he cleverly contrasts Dr. Li's pledge to serve the interests of the Colony as a whole.

Had Mr. Lo wished to make a fair comparison he might also have quoted my own statement in my letter of April 19. "I pledge myself if elected to speak candidly, fairly and fearlessly on all matters concerning the welfare of the Colony and of Kowloon in particular."

It is undoubtedly the constitutional duty and privilege of the two elected members of the Sanitary Board to represent the interests of the Colony as a whole, but I submit that it is neither unconstitutional nor undesirable for one or both of them to give special attention to the needs and problems of a particular district of the Colony, especially when that district is of such increasing size and importance as Kowloon, which at present comprises nearly 43% of the total population. True, I have had the honour of being nominated by the Kowloon Residents' Association and I shall unequivocally adhere to my purpose to pay particular attention to Kowloon matters, but I maintain that the interests of Kowloon are so bound up with the general welfare of the Colony, especially as regards health problems, that it is impossible to imagine any situation where there would be a conflict of interests.

All matters concerning the public health must be considered from the point of view of the Colony in general, and without regard to the private interests of any particular section of the community whatsoever. That I fully endorse this policy is indicated in the views which I have already publicly expressed concerning certain health problems of the Colony, and I am prepared at any time to state frankly and unhesitatingly my attitude towards all such questions as may be of public interest.

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THE DIME-A-DANCE GIRL

(Continued from Page 2.)

"I'm awfully sorry about this morning," he said immediately.
"That's all right," she told him, feeling irrationally, idiotically happy.

"No, it isn't all right. There's more to it than that," he said suddenly after they were both sitting.
"I'm very much afraid that you and I had better watch our step."

His expression was odd and constrained. He leaned over and began to play with a bangle she wore on her arm. She watched him expectantly.

"What do you mean?" she asked.
"What do you mean?" he echoed foolishly.

Ellen looked at him sharply. She wondered for a moment if he had been drinking. The lights had been dimmed for a moonlight waltz. The single shaft of light from the artificial moon fell across the table but his face was in the shadow.

"I just wanted to know," she resumed in a strained way, "what you meant by saying that we'd have to watch our step?"
"Oh, that!"

He laughed. The lights came up as the music stopped and she saw that his mysterious confusion had left him. She saw too that he had not been drinking. He was simple and natural, at ease again.

"Don't you know, Ellen?"
"No, I don't know."

Her heart was beginning to pound.

"Well, I was jealous as the very deuce this morning," he confessed smiling at her. "Jealous of your job and you're being more interested in that than in having lunch with me! You know what that means, I suppose?"

"What?"
"He drew a long breath.

"Don't you think it's possible you and I might fall in love?" he asked with an uncertain laugh.

"What if we did?" she demanded carelessly, not quite liking the lightness of his tone.

"That'd be the devil all around wouldn't it?" he said nervously.

"I suppose it would."

"My mother—"

"You mean your mother has other plans for you," Ellen interrupted.

"Well, so has mine for me!"

Her tone matched his for indifference but she was furious.

"That's easy enough to see," he laughed. "Remember that time she put me out of your apartment?"

"She hates me, doesn't she?"

"She doesn't think you work enough," said Ellen pointedly.

"Besides that you've probably a dozen other charming sweethearts," he said easily, seeming to lose interest.

"Only one," she assured him coolly.

He leaned over and caught her hands, laughed and accused her of trying to make him jealous. As the girl laughed with him she wondered forlornly if anything, anything would ever make him serious.

(To be Continued.)

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A meeting of the Legislative Yuan this morning declared illegal the decision of the Minister of Communications to increase the inland postal rates as from to-morrow, and has issued orders forbidding the increase.

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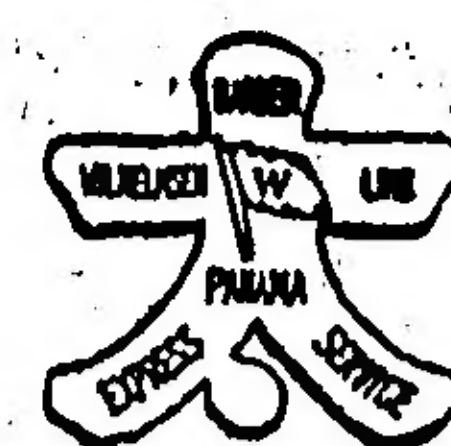
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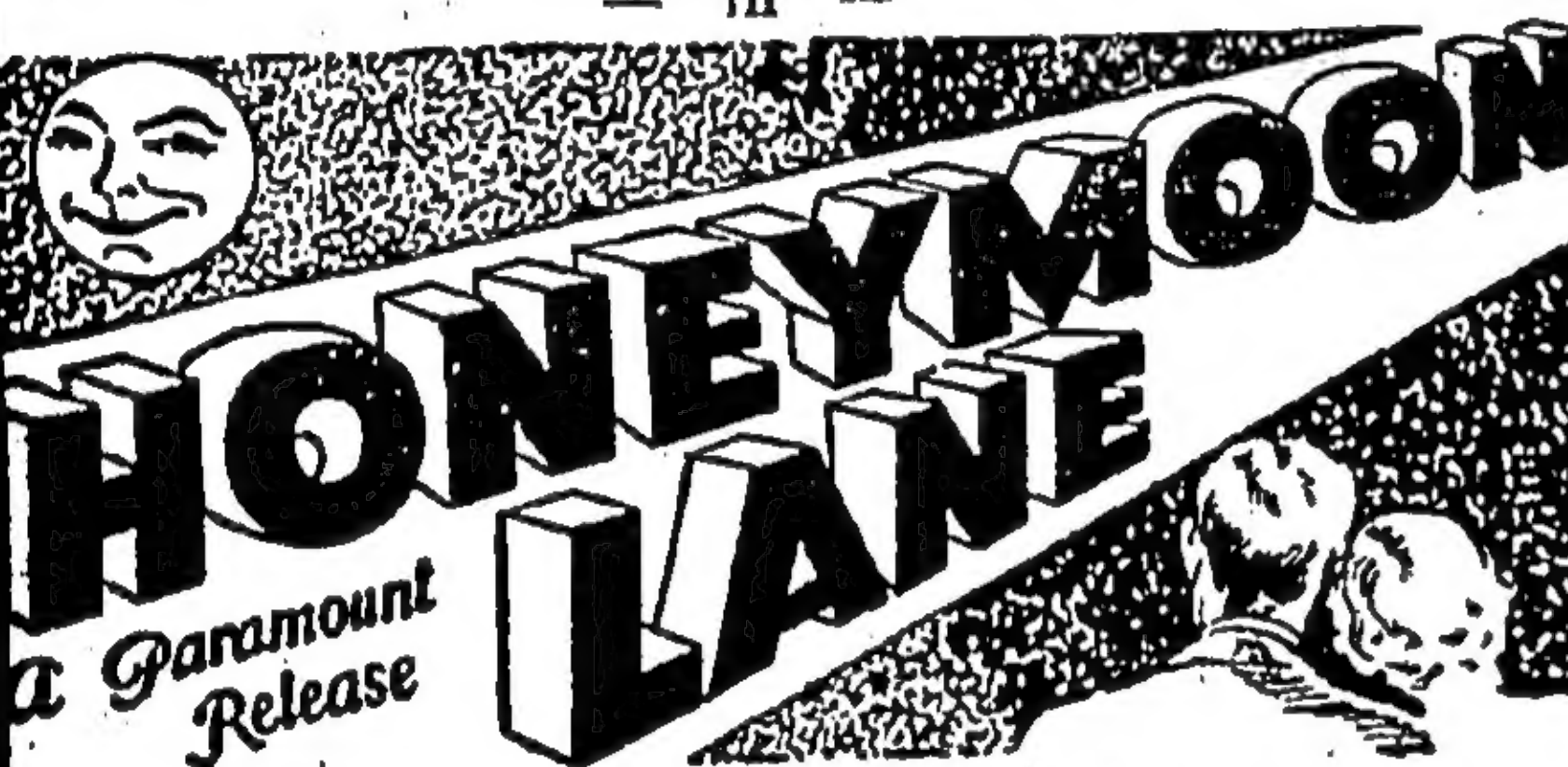
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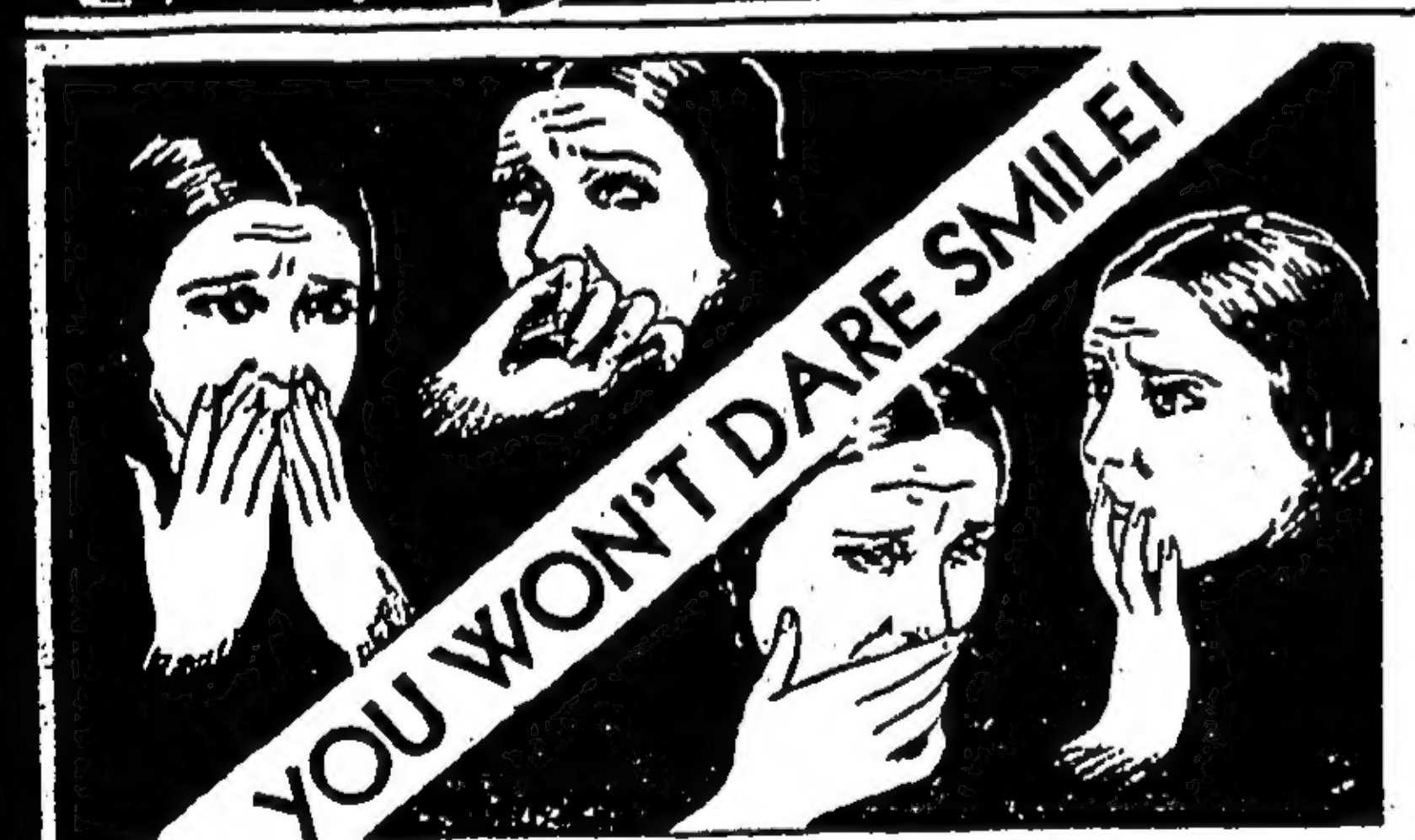
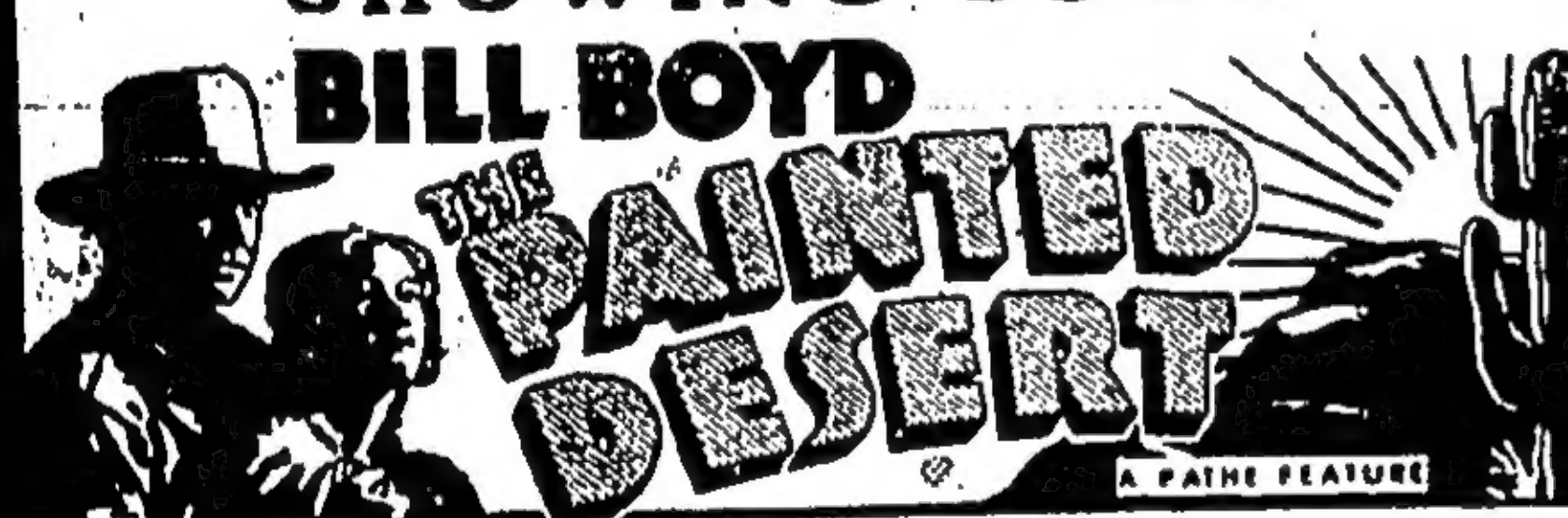


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SECOND TRIAL AT THE SESSIONS

THREE ACCUSED

The second trial arising out of the murder of Tsang Tai-kai, alias Tsang King-kai, a Shaukiwan youth, on February 18, near the road leading from Victoria Gap to Pokfulam, was commenced at the Criminal Sessions this morning, before the Puisne Judge (Mr. Justice Wood) and a jury.

Accused are Cheung Man, alias Cheung Ngo-wai, alias Cheung Hon-ching, alias Wong Hoi, alias Li Ki-kwong, Cheung Tze-nan, and Cheung Sau-fu, all of whom pleaded not guilty, while the first accused admitted only one alias, namely Cheung Hon-ching.

Mr. T. M. Hazlerigg, together with Mr. R. E. Lindell, are for the Crown. Mr. Hin-Shing Lo, instructed by Mr. P. Sin, is defending first accused, while Mr. Somerset Fitzroy, instructed by Mr. J. M. D'Almeida Remedios, is defending the other two accused.

The following jury was empanelled:—Messrs. E. J. Ainslie (foreman), M. Ferguson, A. A. Andrews, H. D. Benham, J. A. G. Anderson, H. H. Remedios and Li Sui-wing.

One juror, Leung Hon-chik, was called but was absent.

His Lordship told the jury that they would be asked to visit the scene of the murder this afternoon.

APPEAL TO JURORS.

In opening the case for the Crown, Mr. Hazlerigg pointed out that a good deal of publicity about the murder had appeared in the local Press, and he asked the jurors to banish from their minds anything they might have read or heard concerning the trial of the other man, Cheung Lu-wa. He emphasised that the jury would be required to arrive at their verdict only on what evidence was put before them in the Court.

He continued to explain how, according to the Crown case, accused men came to Hongkong from Canton with the intention of holding the son of a wealthy Hongkong resident to ransom; how first accused succeeded in making the acquaintance of Tsang Tai-kai and of how all the accused took him to spot on the hillside near the road mentioned in the charge and murdered him.

Mr. Hazlerigg pointed out that certain writing paper and envelopes were found near the scene of the crime, these coinciding exactly with similar material found on accused. In reconstructing the murder, Mr. Hazlerigg said that accused tried to get Tsang to write a letter to his father asking for ransom but while this was happening he broke away and ran towards the road. Accused, how-

NAVAL ARMAMENT

MR. MACDONALD ON PROSPECTS OF REDUCTION

(Reuter's Special Service).

London, May 1.

Mr. Ramsay MacDonald arrived at Victoria Station to-day well. His general health has been good during his absence.

Interviewed by Reuter regarding the Disarmament Conference, the Prime Minister said:—"A tremendous amount of work yet remains to be done, and difficult problems will have to be faced, but I believe it can be done."

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"The conversations which were interrupted by the illness of M. Tardieu will be resumed as soon as possible, and I shall return to Geneva to participate therein."

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ever, pursued him, overtook him after a distance of about 15 yards and murdered him by cutting his throat.

RANSOM DEMAND.

Some five hours afterwards, he continued, Cheung Sau-fu arrived at Tsang's father's house at Shaukiwan with two letters, one purporting to have been written on behalf of Tsang and the other by first accused, both asking for ransom. The father was out but received Cheung Sau-fu, who, when questioned, claimed acquaintance with Tsang. His replies, however, were so unsatisfactory that the uncle became suspicious and as it was obvious that Cheung Sau-fu knew the contents of the letters, which the uncle read, he induced Cheung Sau-fu to go to the Police Station where the matter was investigated, finally resulting in the police being led to the spot where the body was found.

Mr. Hazlerigg said that Cheung Sau-fu had given three different explanations as to how he received the letters. He had stated that he received them from (1) Tsang Tai-kai, (2) a man whom he did not know, and (3) first accused.

In dealing in detail with the Crown case, Mr. Hazlerigg explained that, when arrested, Cheung Tze-nan's clothing was spattered with blood and he was also found to be in possession of two \$10 notes. It was known that before being murdered Tsang was in possession of two similar notes.

The case is proceeding.

OPENING OF NEW COMPANY.

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There was a large attendance at the official opening on Saturday of the Chinese Merchants' Land Investment and Construction Company, Ltd. The opening was held in Gloucester Building and was attended by many leading Europeans and some of the wealthiest Chinese in the Colony.

The health of the chairman of the company was proposed by Mr. W. Logan who wished the new Company every success.

Mr. E. D. Shank responded on behalf of the chairman, Mr. See Hoo Mee-tong.

Refreshments on a lavish scale were served to the guests.

Mr. E. D. Shank, the financial adviser to the company, told press interviewers that the company was the aftermath of the China-American Company and the Hongkong Engineering Construction and Film Drilling Company, which were organised on behalf of the Chinese Merchants' Association of Canada, the United States and South America.

The aim of the company, said Mr. Shank, was to advance the prospects of returned Chinese who had been working for many years in these countries; also, to endeavour to house them and provide modern sanitation throughout villages.

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The aim of the company, said Mr. Shank, "is to buy real estate, build, sell and act as bankers and financiers for returned Chinese."

Mr. Shank added that the company's capital of \$1,000,000 was now fully subscribed.

Questioned further, Mr. Shank said the company would also be interested in the Chinese export trade. The toast of the chairman was honoured, and the gathering broke up soon afterwards.

LEADERS LEAVE GENEVA

QUIETLY CONFIDENT OF SUCCESS

Geneva, May 1.

Mr. H. L. Stimson, the American Secretary of State, left for Cannes to-day and embarks for New York on Tuesday.

He declared that he was well satisfied with his visit and was confident that the Disarmament Conference would be successful. Mr. Stimson added that his discussion of Far East problems with the statesmen interested had been of great value.

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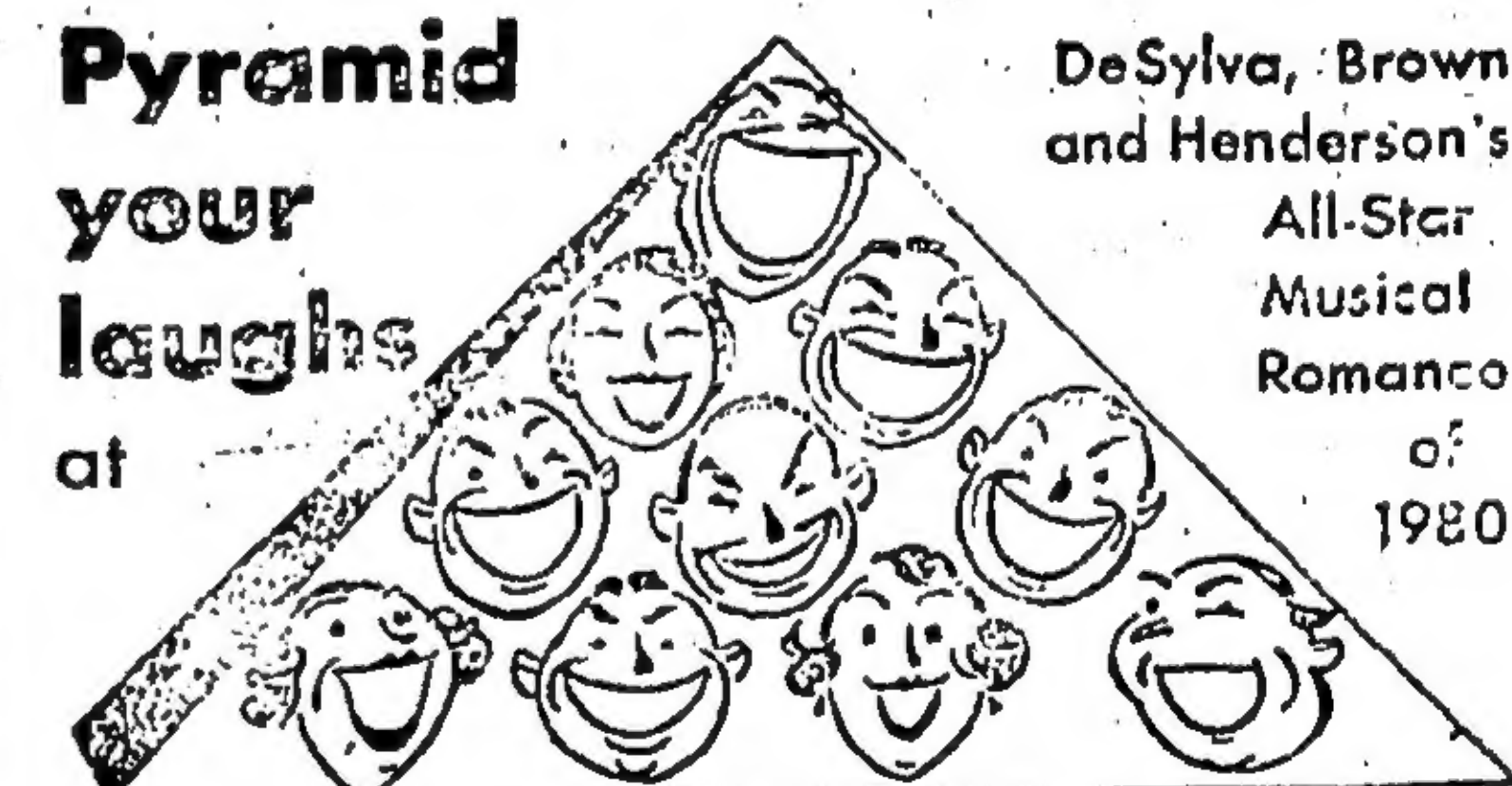
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FAIR BUSINESS IN COTTON PIECEGOODS

The following reports by importers have been supplied to the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce.

Cotton piecegoods and fancy cotton goods.—The following reports have been received: A limited amount of new business has been done in the usual July/August styles but is proving difficult on account of the abnormal conditions. Clearances for Spring Fancies show a big reduction as against a fortnight ago and the market for these styles is extremely dull.

Another report states: There is a good demand for "Spot" Staples, with satisfactory clearances.

Spring Fancies are rather quiet on account of poor prices and clearances remain unsatisfactory. Some business is reported in Cotton Venetians and Satoons.

Woolens.—Repeat business, although of a restricted nature, has been put through for many of the main shops. Comparatively little progress, however, has been made, and business in new styles is difficult to negotiate. The Contract controversy, the uncertain conditions and an appreciable carry-over from last season are the main factors militating against the usual buying.

Another report states: Considerable business has been done in Standard qualities of Woolens but volume is below normal. Exchange fluctuations have again interrupted operations and many offers are not feasible. Metals.—Market dull and lifeless: Flour.—No sales.

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